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WASHINGTON.

Resignation of Attorney-General Hoar and its Acceptance.

Continuation of the Debate on the Cuban Question in the House.

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Passage of Gen. Garfield's Currency Bill in an Amended Form.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Attorney-General HOAR today placed his resignation in the hands of the President, to take effect on the appointment of his successor. It was immediately accepted. It is proper to say that this action of Judge HOAR was entirely voluntary on his part, and in pursuance of an intention formed some months ago. He will leave the city on Friday for a few days' absence, but will return and continue to perform his official duties until his successor qualifies. Who his successor will be is, apparently, undetermined. No other change in the Cabinet is deemed probable at present.

THE CUBAN DEBATE.

The great Cuban debate ended today in the defeat of Gen. BANKS and his adherents. Though the final vote is not yet taken the result is assured, and the action of the House will sustain the position of the President. The debate was opened, today, by FERNANDO WOOD in favor of the majority report. He was followed by Mr. WILLARD, in an able speech on the other side, one of the most noticeable features of which was, the vigorous manner in which he defended the right of the President, and the propriety and good taste in his judgment to send a message to Congress on so important a subject at any time, especially when the fact was considered that Cuban advocates and Ex-Confederate Generals were permitted on the floor of the House to appeal personally to members in behalf of their cause. Mr. JUDD then obtained the floor, but yielded half an hour to Gen. BUTLER, who made a strong and characteristic speech against the report. He was followed by Gen. LOGAN, to whom Mr. JUDD yielded the balance of his time, and who made a speech that, to say the least, was most extraordinary. The first ten minutes was devoted to BUTLER, and it was the roughest assault ever made upon that gentleman in the House. The rest of it was a characteristic advocacy of the Cuban cause, abounding in exuberant rhetoric, elaborate and never-ending sentences, highly-wrought illustrations and extreme views, in which the President and his position were not overlooked. Gen. BANKS then rose to close the debate, but had not proceeded far when his voice failed him, and he said he would be obliged to call for the vote. Mr. BINGHAM then moved to reconsider the vote whereby the main question was ordered, so that he could get in his substitute, which is simply the third resolution of the minority report, authorizing the President to protest against the manner in which Spain is conducting the war. Mr. COX moved to lay this motion on the table, which was first lost on tellers by six majority, and then on yeas and nays by thirteen majority. After considerable confusion and some delay, the motion to reconsider was carried by 18 majority, yeas 88, nays 70, and thus the case fell under the management of Judge BINGHAM, who immediately offered his substitute, on which the previous question was seconded, whereupon the House adjourned. As it stands now, the final vote will be taken to-morrow, immediately after the reading of the journal. The first vote will be on Mr. LOGAN's amendment to the majority report, which is, in substance, to put Cuba on the same ground in respect to intercourse and trade that Spain now occupies. The next vote will be on Judge BINGHAM's substitute for both the majority and minority reports, and it will doubtless be agreed to.

FREE COAL.

Mr. MAYNARD reported his Free Coal bill today, but it is just such a jesuitical affair as might have been expected. Instead of simply repealing the tariff on coal, as was required by the spirit of the instructions of the House, the bill drags in the repeal of a variety of complicated taxes on the transportation, sale, &c., of coal, on pretense of repealing all taxes on coal. Gen. SCHENCK denounced the measure, and Mr. HOOPER gave notice of a substitute.

PASSAGE OF GEN. GARFIELD'S CURRENCY BILL.

Gen. GARFIELD's new Currency bill finally passed the House today, with an important amendment offered by Mr. JUDD, of Illinois, which strikes out the provision retiring fifty millions of greenbacks, so that the result will be, if the bill should become a law, fifty millions inflation of national bank circulation. The majority for this amendment was about thirty. The bill was then passed—yeas 95, nays 91. As passed, the bill simply provides as follows:

"First, for the retirement of the forty-five millions of three per cent. certificates, and the substitution of national bank circulation to the same amount, and, for the increase of the present amount of national bank capital by the sum of fifty millions, and the issue of circulation thereon under the existing law. Third, for the re-distribution of twenty-five millions existing national bank circulation, taking from States having greatest excess, and giving to States having least ratable proportion."

The bond feature of the old bill was not included in this. The political classification of the vote was thus: Yeas—Republicans, 95; Democrats, 3. Nays—Republicans, 37; Democrats, 44. It is safe to say that the Senate will emphatically non-concur in the expansion feature.

THE SAN DOMINGO INVESTIGATION.

The San Domingo investigation was continued last evening by the examination of J. SOMERS SMITH, Ex-Consul at San Domingo City; and today by a statement from J. W. FABENS, Commissioner from San Domingo, and also by some further testimony from Gen. BABCOCK, whose thorough knowledge of the whole affair materially lightens the labor of the Committee in attempting to reconcile the contradictory and wild statements of PERRY, who seems to have lost his head in the embarrassment and excitement of his position. Mr. SMITH was exceedingly careful in what he said about Gen. BABCOCK and the Hatch matter. In fact, he couldn't remember or say that Gen. BABCOCK knew anything about HATCH's case at all. Mr. FABENS, being the diplomatic representative of San Domingo, was treated as such personages usually are. They cannot be compelled to testify, and are therefore not put under oath. He made a plain statement of the Hatch matter as far as he was familiar with it, and very positively confirmed the testimony of Gens. INGALLS, SACKETT, and BABCOCK on that subject. He also stated in full his own relations to the Baez Government, and referred the Committee to the supplemental schedule of the annexation treaty now before the Senate for a list of all the concessions or grants made him by the Dominican Government. Among the developments today, which will have great weight in the case, is the discovery of the fact by the Committee that the great grievance of HATCH, to wit, the loss of his salt mine and railroad concession is no grievance at all. It is this that inspires HATCH's hostility more than the mere fact of his imprisonment. Appended to the San Domingo treaty, now in the Senate, is a list of all the concessions which the Dominican Government notified this Government were to be held valid and binding in case of annexation. These concessions were nine in number, exclusive of certain unimportant mining privileges. Second on the list stands the concession of a salt mine privilege, and the right to construct a railroad of sixteen miles from the mine to the seacoast at Barahona, granted to DAVIS HATCH in 1866. This grant once lapsed by failure of HATCH to comply with the conditions, but was again renewed and stands valid today in the name of DAVIS HATCH, and, in case of annexation, would be secured to him against all comers by treaty stipulation. Against this official act is the unsupported hearsay statement of PERRY that he heard that the concession had been granted to other parties. Although the investigation was not started to go into the charges of jobbery, yet it has of necessity done so, and when the report is made, the whole thing will be cleared up so thoroughly that some people, who have been throwing dirt at the President in indirect charges and insinuations of personal interest, will be heartily ashamed of themselves.

THE TAX AND TARIFF BILL.

The Senate Finance Committee hope to be able to finish the consideration of the Tax-Tariff bill by the last of this week, though it is not probable that they can get ready to report before Monday next. The statement that they will substitute a short general bill for that of the House does not appear to be well founded. The fate of the bill will, in a great measure, turn on the income tax. The Finance Committee will leave the rate of the tax as it came from the House, though the exemption may be changed to fifteen hundred dollars. It is conceded, however, that this tax is more likely to pass the Senate, if at all, in the shape it comes from the House than in any other shape in which it can be presented.

THE CUBAN BOND INVESTIGATION.

The Special Committee on the New-York *Post*-Scott-Smith-Cuban bond investigation, met today. The correspondent appeared and the paper was represented by Hon. CALEB CUSHING. It was determined not to proceed with the taking of testimony while the Cuban question was pending; but Mr. CUSHING obtained permission to put in a statement which will be prepared, and which will, it is understood, embody copies of the affidavits and papers upon which the original statement was founded, but will not reveal the sources from whence that information was obtained. Quite a passage, very pertinent to this matter, occurred during the debate today between FERNANDO WOOD, Gen. BUTLER and Gen. BANKS. In response to a question from Mr. WOOD, Gen. BUTLER stated positively that the information which is the subject of the above investigation, did not come from him or from his Committee. Gen. BANKS then asked him if he had not shown Cuban bonds to members of the House which were obtained by his Committee? To this Gen. BUTLER replied that he had shown such bonds, to the number of half a dozen, every one of which were taken from the pockets of reporters at fifteen cents on the dollar.

THE FUNDS OF THE MILITARY ASYLUMS.

Mr. FARNSWORTH today offered a resolution, which was agreed to, empowering the Military Committee, of which Gen. LOGAN is Chairman, to investigate the manner in which the funds of the national asylums for disabled soldiers and sailors have been expended. Gen. BUTLER is President of the Board of Managers and controls the expenditures. Whether Gen. FARNSWORTH has reason to believe that this matter needs investigation, or whether it is the result of the rencontre in the Reconstruction Committee Room yesterday, remains to be seen. It is safe to assume that Gen. BUTLER is a shrewd and able man to conduct a great public trust like this in a manner that will bear inspection, so the investigation may possibly end barren of results.

THE ASSAULT UPON CONGRESSMAN PORTER.

The House Judiciary Committee continued the examination today of the case of PATRICK WOODS for the assault upon Congressman PORTER. WOODS put in a long answer by his counsel, admitting the assault, but pleading in extenuation that he had been drinking. He had drank with PORTER, and did not know that PORTER was a member of Congress. He also demurred to the jurisdiction of the House, which is a useless proceeding, since there is no appeal from that body except to the popular tribunal of Press and people. Mr. PORTER was then examined and cross-examined, and Mr. HAMPLINES, who was present at the assault, also gave his testimony, when the case was adjourned for today.

WHITTEMORE AS A MEMBER ELECT.

The appearance of the redoubtable WHITTEMORE upon the floor of the House today as a member elect, was the occasion of much comment on all sides today. He is here in advance of his credentials, but as soon as they arrive his case will be presented. Opinion as to whether he will be admitted is very evenly divided. There will be a warm fight on the subject; but the House has held, at least in one like prior case, that the re-election of a member by his constituents, with all the facts before them, purges the case of its legal disabilities, and practically leaves the House no choice but to admit him. This is the view taken by some of the oldest and ablest members of the House.

MONTHLY MAILS TO AUSTRALIA.

The bill authorizing the Postmaster-General to establish a monthly mail service between the United States and Australia, at a cost of not more than $300,000 for the twelve trips, was today reported favorably from the Senate Committee on Commerce, with an amendment that the Colonies of Australia and New-Zealand must make contracts with the accepted bidder to give a sum not less than that paid by the United States.

DISCOVERY OF GUANO.

The Senate, yesterday and today, debated at great length, and finally passed without division, a bill giving HARRIBTT PARKER any rights of discovery acquired by her husband, since deceased, to certain guano islands in the North Pacific Ocean. It is said that these islands are estimated to contain 600,000,000 tons of guano.

UNION LEAGUE.

The National Executive Committee of the Union League of America will meet at the St. Nicholas Hotel, in the City of New-York, on Tuesday next, at 2 o'clock P. M. A large attendance is anticipated in view of the preparations now in progress for the Fall elections.

Amusements of the Seventeenth Ward Roughs.

At a late hour last night a serious disturbance occurred in LUTZ's saloon, No. 523 East Fifteenth-street, a gang of disorderly characters entering with the purpose of destroying the place. The affair was what the Police call a free fight, during which LUTZ and a man named SPAULDING were severely cut in the head. At this point the majority fled, thus escaping the Police, who, arriving on the spot, found no one but LUTZ and SPAULDING, the latter of whom was taken in custody.

Stabbing in Whitehall-Street.

About 8 o'clock last night, LAWRENCE SULLIVAN and his wife, who live at No. 1 Whitehall street, began quarreling, and presently the man followed his words with blows so savage and murderous, that JOHN O'BRIEN, an inmate of the same house, interfered. Instantly the infuriated wife-beater turned upon O'BRIEN and plunged a large knife into his abdomen, causing a very dangerous wound. SULLIVAN, being taken in custody, was conveyed to the New-street Police Station, where he was locked up. O'BRIEN was also taken to the Station-house, and, after his wounds had been dressed by a Police surgeon, was carried to Bellevue Hospital in an ambulance.

GENERAL TELEGRAMS.

EUROPE.

Funeral Sermon of Charles Dickens—Floral Tributes—The Monarch Insurance Company—Loss of the Walter Hood.

LONDON, June 15.—Dean STANLEY will deliver a sermon at Westminster Abbey next Sunday on the death of CHARLES DICKENS. Intense eagerness is manifested by the public to obtain places in the Abbey on the occasion. The grave of DICKENS is entirely covered with flowers, cast there by the visitors who have thronged to the spot since the burial....The iron trade in England is just now extremely active.... The directors of the Monarch Insurance Company, which failed some time ago, have been committed for trial on charges of fraud....Later advices from Sidney confirm the report before received of the total loss of the London ship *Walter Hood*....Further testimony in favor of the abolition of compulsory pilotage in the Mersey has been taken lately by the House of Commons Committee on that subject.

British Parliament—Debate on the Irish Land Bill in the House of Lords—Proceedings in the House of Commons—Minority Representation.

LONDON, June 15.—In the House of Lords last night Earl GRANVILLE moved the second reading of the Irish Land bill. He said, refraining from partisan topics, he would simply demonstrate the necessity for this legislation. The law, as it stood at present, was confessedly unsatisfactory. The tenure of land in Ireland was insecure, and abrupt evictions without compensation for improvements made by the tenant were common. The landlords had their grievances, too. Rents were lower and their payment less certain in Ireland than in any other country in Europe, while the interest on bonds and mortgages was greater. He referred to the difficulties landlords had with their tenants, and the outrages which had been committed, and analyzed the previous attempts at legislation on the subject. A final settlement was now sought for; it had been impossible hitherto, but now it was possible. He proceeded to show that the tendency of the present scheme was to produce prosperity, order and peace. The Duke of RICHMOND denied that there was necessity for the introduction of the bill. He read a number of letters to prove that landlords are all gentlemen and considerate. Exceptions, he said, were possible, but too few to warrant the present legislation. After urging other objections, the noble Lord said he should not oppose the measure for fear a worse one might follow its rejection; but he hoped certain amendments, which he suggested, would be adopted. Earl RUSSELL advocated the passage of the bill without further amendment. Lord DUFFERIN said large landlords defended the provisions as they stood and he deprecated any alteration. The Marquis of SALISBURY spoke against and the Earl of KIMBERLEY for the bill. Lord MONCK supported the measure in general, but took exceptions to some of its details. Without taking action their Lordships rose. ....In the House of Commons, to-night, Mr. HARDCASTLE moved the second reading of the bill to amend the Reform act. He said the object of this measure was to repeal the clause in the Reform act creating minority representation, against which he recited the objections which have over and over again been urged. Mr. GLADSTONE admitted that the principle benefited the Liberals. He thought minorities should be heard, but insisted that they always had a hearing in tripartite elections, and not unfrequently in boroughs choosing two members. In fact a party having a majority in one borough was often in the minority in another. He finally announced that in view of the intended introduction of the ballot he should vote for the repeal of the minority clause. Mr. WALTER begged for a postponement of action until the next census and a redistribution of seats had been made. Messrs. BURTON, FAWCETTS and others opposed the amendment. Mr. DISRAELI invoked a further trial of the present system, and Mr. RATHBONE thought it had not been thoroughly tested. The bill passed to a second reading by a small majority, and the House adjourned. The proceedings in the House of Commons, last evening, were mainly unimportant. Mr. CHAS. BUXTON, member for East Surrey, moved an address to the Queen, asking concurrence in the proposition for the appointment of a Commission to revise the translation of the Bible. He supported his motion in a speech of some length, taking the ground that all English-speaking countries should concur. Mr. GLADSTONE, in reply, said the Government had carefully considered the question, and thought it better to leave the subject to the ecclesiastical authorities. The revision of the Bible was of dubious utility, tedious and untimely. At length the motion was withdrawn, and soon after the House adjourned.

The Ascot Races—Events of the Opening Day—The Steamer City of Ragusa.

LONDON, June 15.—Yesterday was the first day of the Ascot races. The most important race was for the gold vase, given by Her Majesty, added to a sweepstakes of twenty sovereigns each for all ages, two miles. This was won by Sir J. HAWLEY's b. c. *Siderolite*, beating Mr. GRAHAM's ch. m. *Formosa*. The Prince of Wales Stakes of fifty sovereigns each, with 1,000 sovereigns added, for three-year olds, one mile and five furlongs, closed with ninety-two subscribers. This was won by *King o' Scots*. The following is the summary:

Mr. J. Dawson's c. King o' Scots, by King Tour, out of Katherine Logie	1
Mr. G. Jones' br. c. Asolin	2
Mr. W. S. Crawford's Claudius	3

At the Ascot Races yesterday, in addition to the event already reported, the Maiden Plate of 100 sovereigns, for two year olds, was won by *Gunderger*, beating *Durham* second, and *Pink* third. The Queen's Stand Plate of 200 sovereigns, added to a sweepstakes of 10 sovereigns each, for all ages, with pains and penalties, was won by Mr. MERRY's b. c. *Knight of the Forest*, beating *Perfume* second, and *Digby Grand* third. The sixteenth Ascot Triennial for foals of 1866 was won by Mr. G. BRYAN's b. c. *Royal Head* by *Stockwell*, beating Baron ROTHSCHILD's b. c. *Midsummer* second, and Mr. CHAPLIN's b. f. *Bertha* third. The following races took place today: The Ascot Royal Hunt Cup, valued at 300 sovereigns, added to a handicap sweepstakes of ten sovereigns each, for all ages, two-year olds excepted, was won by Count BATTHYANY's b. h. *Typhœus*, by *Stockwell* out of *Tyree*, beating Mr. T. P. OUTHWAITE's br. c. *Dolphin*, second. The betting at the start was four to one against the winner, and eight to one against *Dolphin*.

The Ascot Stakes of twenty-five sovereigns each, with 200 added, the second to receive fifty sovereigns and the third to save his stakes, two miles and a half, was won by *Musket*, beating *Silbehand* second and *Curio* third....The miniature steamer *City of Ragusa*, it seems, ran ashore on the coast of Ireland, and was damaged. She put into Queenstown for repairs. She will soon sail again for New-York....Rev. THOMAS LUBY, Mathematician of Trinity College, Dublin, died in that city last evening.

All the Year Round—The American Yachts.

LONDON, June 15.—In accordance with the wish of Mr. DICKENS, the weekly journal *All the Year Round* will remain under the charge of the eldest son....The *Standard* is sorry to hear that the owners of the American yachts will decline to compete for the Prince of Wales Cup. It says their objection to time allowance is an insufficient excuse, and the course proposed is unexceptionable.

The Belgian Elections—Infallibility—Matrimonial Alliance Between Russia and Prussia—General European News.

BRUSSELS, June 15.—The Catholic ticket was generally successful in the recent elections. The political complexion of the new Chamber is about the same as that of the last House, and a Ministerial crisis is expected in consequence.

ROME, June 15.—The Pope has fixed the 22d day of July as the utmost limit of time which will be allowed the Armenians to make their submission to the Holy See. If by that time they have not reconciled themselves with Rome, excommunication will be pronounced against them.

LONDON, June 15.—Dispatches from Rome leave no doubt of the adoption by the Ecumenical Council of the dogma of infallibility as proposed to the Council, including the anathema clause. It is said that the Emperor of Russia and the King of Prussia have met at Ems to arrange a marriage between Prince VLADIMER, the second son of the Czar, and a Prussian Princess....The Princess VICTORIA, wife of the Crown Prince, has given birth to a daughter.... According to official advices from Pesth, the grain crops in Eastern Europe promise a satisfactory harvest.

PARIS, June 15—Evening.—The condition of the Emperor's health has a depressing effect on the Bourse....The son of M. LABOULAYE, who, report said, was to go to Washington, has been appointed Secretary of Legation at Brussels.

VIENNA, June 15.—A convention of German teachers, now in session, have adopted a resolution favoring the exclusion of doctrinal religion from the schools, and the retention of natural religion.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 15.—The sentence of the assassins of Count D'ARENBERG, of the Austrian Legation, has been modified. They will not be imprisoned here for a term of years, as was at first contemplated. They will be exiled to Siberia at once.

BUCHAREST, June 15.—The elections throughout the Principalities have generally resulted in favor of the Anti-Muscovite Party.

JAPAN AND CHINA.

Severe Earthquake in Japan—Villages Destroyed—Eruptions of a Volcano After Centuries of Quiet—A Volcano in the Sea—Education—Our Consul at Pekin.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 14.—The steam-ship *Great Republic*, from Hong Kong May 12, and Yokohama May 22, arrived today. The trip from Japan was pleasant. A violent earthquake had occurred in Japan—the severest since the great earthquake in 1855. The accounts of the disaster are meager, but it is reported that several villages were destroyed. The great volcano of Asamayama, in the interior of the Island of Nipbon, which had been quiet for centuries, is in violent eruption, accompanied by frequent earthquakes, destroying villages in that vicinity, and causing terror among the inhabitants of the Province. The Captain of the bark *Benefactress* reports having observed an active volcano at sea, 200 miles from Yokohama. Some portions of the crater are above the sea. Clouds of steam were issuing therefrom. From the deck of the vessel the water around the volcano appeared to be in a boiling condition....The officers of the United States squadron on the Asiatic station have decided to erect a monument to the memory of the victims of the *Oneida* disaster.... The Japanese Government have granted permission for the establishment of a school for the instruction of native youths in foreign languages, and naval and military tactics....The Japanese troops are now drilled upon the European system....Gen. LEGENDRE, the American Consul at Amoy, was seriously ill. The American Minister at Pekin assumed the duties of his office on the 20th of April.

The Christians in Japan—The Grounds of Opposition Political Not Religious.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—The State Department today received dispatches from Minister MOTLEY, at London, principally in relation to persecutions of converts to Christianity in Japan. The British, French and Prussian Governments are in accord with our own in interposing their good offices for the protection of these Christians. They will exert their moral power to this end. Force cannot be used as no treaty obligations are violated. It appears the Japanese opposition is not because the converts are Christians, but because it is feared the professed faith will render them disloyal to their Government.

POLITICAL.

Republican Nominations in Philadelphia—The Maine Republican State Convention—Hon. Sidney Perham Nominated for Governor.

PHILADELPHIA, June 15.—In the Second Congressional District Convention, today, there was a split, and two conventions were held in the same room. One party renominated Hon. CHARLES O'NEIL, he receiving 43 out of 47 votes. The other party, composed of forty-nine delegates, nominated JOHN V. CREELEY, he receiving 36 votes. In the Third District, LEONARD MYERS was renominated for Congress by the Republicans by a nearly unanimous vote. His friends serenaded him this evening. In the Fourth District the Republicans renominated WILLIAM D. KELLEY for Congress. ROBERT P. BEATTY was nominated by the Republicans for Receiver of Taxes of this city today.

The Convention for the nomination of a candidate for Sheriff have not yet arrived at a nomination. The friends of Gen. BINGHAM succeeded in getting possession of the platform and ousted the opposing parties. The Judicial Convention nominated Judge PAXON and THOMAS K. FINLETTER for Judges of the Common Pleas and JAMES W. LYND for Judge of the District Court. ROBERT S. TITTERMARY was nominated for Clerk of the Orphans' Court.

LATER—A SHERIFF NOMINATED.

PHILADELPHIA, June 15.—The struggle in the Sheriff's Convention resulted, at a late hour this evening, in the success of W. R. LEEDS over Gen. BINGHAM, the most prominent of the several candidates.

THE MAINE GOVERNORSHIP.

AUGUSTA, Me., June 15.—The Republican State Convention, for the nomination of a candidate for Governor, met in this city today. It was the largest and most exciting Convention ever held in this State; 1,383 delegates were present. Hon. SIDNEY PERHAM was nominated as candidate for Governor, receiving 667 votes to 627 for Hon. S. T. HERSEY. The nomination was made unanimous. NELSON DINGLEY, Jr., of Lewiston, presided.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., June 15.—The Republican Congressional Convention of this District, met in this city today, and nominated Hon. MOSES F. DUNN, of Lawrence County, for Congress. The Democratic Convention will meet on the 13th inst., and will renominate VOORHEES, he having no opposition.

The Cincinnati Saengerfest—Inaugural Ceremonies.

CINCINNATI, June 15.—The great meeting of the North American Saengerbund has been inaugurated in a most successful manner. The procession was large and quite attractive, and consumed one hour in passing a point. The distinguishing feature was the splendid display of banners, which has scarcely ever been equalled in Cincinnati. The line was more than three miles long. A large number of stores and manufactories were closed during the passing of the procession. The streets were densely packed with people—windows, doors and every available inch of room being occupied. The number of spectators is estimated at 150,000. The houses in almost all parts of the city were more or less decorated, but on the line of march an extensive display had been made. An immense arch has been thrown over Fourth-street, near Pike's Opera Hall, and another over Vine-street, opposite Saenger Hall. Young girls, dressed in white, were placed on each arch, with a banner and wreath of flowers, and presented bouquets to the members of the societies as they passed. Everywhere in the German part of the city the decorations were such as have never been seen here, and other parts of the city were scarcely behind in this respect. Many of the societies have brought bands, embracing some of the most distinguished in the West. At the reception concert this evening, in the Saengerfest buildings, thousands gathered about the outside long before the hour arrived for the opening of the doors. The performances opened with the Jubilee Overture, by the Cincinnati orchestra, which met with general acceptance. This was followed by the Cincinnati Singers Greeting, composed by PHILIP WALTER, the director. The address of welcome was made by Gov. HAYES.

OCEAN MAIL SERVICE.

Mails Between the United States and Great Britain—Offer of the Cunard and Inman Lines Accepted by the Government.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 15.—Postmaster-General CRESWELL has accepted the offers recently made by the agents of the Cunard and Inman lines of steamers to transport the mails from New-York to Great Britain and Ireland for the amount of sea postage on the mails conveyed, as full compensation for the service. The steamers of the Cunard line, leaving New-York on Thursday of each week, will convey the mails for the United Kingdom, and the steamers of the Inman line, leaving on Saturday of each week, will convey the Irish mail only to Queenstown. Under the existing arrangements the mails for Europe are regularly dispatched from New-York as follows: On Tuesdays by steamers of the Hamburg line to Plymouth, England; Cherbourg, France, and Hamburg, Germany. On Wednesdays by the steamers of the Williams & Guion line to Queenstown and Liverpool. On Thursdays by the steamers of the Cunard line to Queenstown and Liverpool, and of the North German Lloyd line to Bremen. On Saturdays by steamers of the North German Lloyd line to Southampton and Bremen, and of the Inman line, carrying the Irish mail only to Queenstown. The foregoing arrangements include all the available service afforded by the existing lines of Transatlantic steamers.

THE INDIANS.

A Party of Mounted Indians Struck by a Train—Spotted Tail and His Friends in Chicago.

CHEYENNE, W. T., June 15.—The passenger train bound East, last night, ran into a squad of mounted Indians coming round a curve, three miles East of Ogallala. Several shots were fired by the Indians, some of them taking effect in the cab. Sixteen horses were killed by the engine. No one was hurt on the train, nor was the train damaged. Robes, bows and arrows, &c., were found this morning. Companies of cavalry stationed at Ogallala are in close pursuit of the Indians.

CHICAGO, June 15.—SPOTTED TAIL, SWIFT BEAR, YELLOW HAIR and FAST BEAR, the Indian Chiefs, arrived in this city this morning, and left this afternoon for the West.

False Imprisonment of a Brother for Seventeen Years.

PHILADELPHIA, June 15.—JOSEPH HENRIQUES, keeper of a cigar-store corner of Fourth and Lombard streets, has been held in $5,000 bail, charged with the false imprisonment of an insane brother, who, it is alleged, has been confined in a room in the house since he was twenty-one years of age, and he is now thirty-eight years. The prisoner, though insane, was perfectly harmless, and his fleshy appearance shows that he was well fed, but his prison is described as being exceedingly filthy, resulting probably from insanity more than actual neglect. The affair has created excitement among the neighbors, who were generally not aware of the existence of such a person.

Hartford and Erie—A Motion to Institute Civil and Criminal Suits Defeated.

BOSTON, June 15.—In the Senate this afternoon the amendment of Mr. LADD instructing the Attorney-General to commence civil suits against the signers of the bond for $2,000,000, and criminal suites against the parties accused of fraud in the Hartford and Erie management was voted down, nays 19, yeas 14....The preliminary examination of CHARLES H. GRAY for selling cancelled revenue stamps resulted in holding him for trial in $1,000 bail.

PUBLIC WHARVES.

Meeting of Citizens of the Nineteenth Ward—Resolutions and Addresses.

A number of influential citizens of the Nineteenth Ward opposed to the present private monopoly of dock facilities along the waterfront of the ward held a public meeting last evening at Grim's Third-avenue Garden, Nos. 789 and 791 Third-avenue, with a view to invite the attention of the Commissioners of Public Docks to the subject, and, if possible, secure the erection of public landing places at suitable intervals along the East River front.

S. D. MOULTON having been elected to preside, gave a brief statement of the objects of the meeting.

After several other addresses the following preamble and resolutions, which state very fully the object of the meeting, were unanimously passed:

Whereas, The Nineteenth Ward was constituted a Ward of the City of New-York some twenty years since—1850-'51—bounded south by Fortieth-street, north by Eighty-sixth-street, and east by East River, containing at the date of its erection comparatively few inhabitants; and

Whereas, Our famous Central Park has since been erected along its western border, attracting directly and indirectly within the limits of the Ward a resident population equal today to 70,000, running up the taxable valuation of its property to from $8,041,153, in 1856, to $85,858,040 in 1868; and

Whereas, There are numerous charitable institutions, public and private, located within the boundaries of the said Ward; and its commodious and accessible water-front has induced the erection of many large manufacturing establishments, requiring vast and continuous supplies of material, fuel, &c., for the successful conduct of their several interests; and

Whereas, In the almost total absence, for years, of any safe and convenient public dock or landing-place at any point along the more than two miles of water-front of the ward, where great interests, including several branches of our fabulous building improvements, have become entirely dependent upon private favor for the privilege of discharging material, raw or otherwise, across a wharf, even at the excessive rate of $8 and $10 per day; and

Whereas, In the judgment of this meeting there is no sound reason why the good people of this Nineteenth Ward should any longer submit to these continuous inconveniencies and oppressive exactions, contributing as they do annually in the shape of taxes, so largely and liberally to the support of the municipal Government of the City; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Commissioners of Public Docks be and they are hereby respectfully requested to take such immediate action in the matter, if not inconsistent with the powers conferred upon them, as will afford the people and business men of the Ward immediate exemption from ajlong-standing inconvenience, and a series of oppressive charges by the construction of safe and convenient public landing places at reasonable intervals of distance along the water-front thereof.

Resolved, That a committee of three persons be appointed, whose duty it shall be to submit the foregoing preamble and resolutions to the Commissioners of Public Docks, with such other remarks and details as may occur to them as pertinent to the question, and respectfully urge their immediate action thereupon in behalf of an oppressed community.

The following gentlemen were appointed a committee to wait upon the Commissioners of Public Docks: HENRY CLAUSSEN, G. N. WILLIAMS, CHARLES HUBER, HENRY W. SCHMIDT and S. D. MOULTON.

The meeting then adjourned.

At a late hour last evening an affray occurred in a session of Post 2Phil. Kearney, No. 594 Broadway, during which EZEKIEL REEVES, of Lewis-street, was struck with a spittoon by Col. MICHAEL BURNS, a weigher in the Custom-house, inflicting a severe cut in the head. REEVES was making a speech at the time, but it has not been ascertained that he gave any direct provocation for the assault. The injured man was taken to Police Head-quarters, where he received surgical aid. Col. BURNS has not been arrested.

THE RACES.

Fourth and Last Day of the Jerome Park Meeting.

A Brilliant Assemblage and Lively Sport.

Lobelia Wins the Hurdle Race; Helmbold the Handicap; Glenelg the Consolation Purse; and Rapture the Hunter Plate—Scenes and Incidents.

Yesterday morning there could be no mistake about the weather. From his first appearance the sun showed that he meant business, and a grateful breeze that continued throughout the day only succeeded in tempering the sultry and steady heat. The patrons of the equine sport who went by rail, were not, however, much benefited even by that. The Harlem Railroad Company evidently imagined that it would be an additional boon to their passengers to shut them up in an atmosphere closely resembling the *caldarium* of a Turkish bath. In order to effect this, the trains went up in each case about four cars short of what was requisite to convey the people who wanted to go. The overplus was distributed wherever there was standing room made, and wherever there was hanging room outside. The compressibility of the human frame were severely tested, and that nobody was knocked off in passing through the tunnel must be set down rather to the cohesive power of the groups who overhung the platforms than to the good management of the officials of the line. Enterprising conductors were seen to dive inside with the benevolent intention of "packing them," but as they were not observed coming out again, it is presumed they sank exhausted under the effort. As the train sped along the unhappy inmates of the cars might have been seen turning their fevered countenances to catch the breeze, and casting wistful glances at the cows that were quietly chewing the cud under shady trees in the bush-green meadows.

OUTSIDE THE COURSE.

The human sardine-boxes at length disgorged their contents, and their inmates feeling very limp and generally reduced, made the best of their way to the course. Then might be seen the inevitable string of country wagons rushing distractedly through the crowd in search of a fare, the main purpose of their coming out being apparently subordinate to the desire of the rustic Jehus for one day more to enjoy the luxury of driving furiously. There, also, might have been seen the industrious brigade of niggers, who waylaid the gate, and laid violent hands upon dusty pedestrians, assuring them of the prime necessity of being brushed, on account of the lots of ladies who were inside. The rising importance of what may be termed the popular club-house, being the plateau outside of the grounds in front of the Park View House, was yesterday very manifest. Citizens with an eye to economy, and to whom the precincts of the stand were too confined, had assembled here in considerable force, and had adorned the grassy expanse with large numbers of their female friends. Loud praises might be heard here of the varied advantages of the situation, and of the undoubted inducement it presented by saving pater familias sundry dollars.

ON THE COURSE.

Inside the show of vehicles was scarcely so large as on some of the previous days. The Club stand was far from being so well filled, and the precincts of the Club-house were some degrees less gay than on the opening day. In the last-named quarter the dowagers appeared to preponderate yesterday. On the verandahs there was less of "quips and cranks and wreathed smiles," and more of the lotos-laden calm of "a land where it was always afternoon." Nevertheless there was beauty and brilliancy, wealth and wit and fashion, and an air of serene enjoyment well befitting the place and time. On the pool stand the concourse was considerable and $10 bills were floating about as briskly as ever. There were no false starts to irritate the *habitués* who came for business, and just the requisite number of surprises to maintain a lively interest in the progress of the sport. The splendid finish made in the third race by Mr. BELMONT's *Glenelg*, and the fine running made by Mr. BARCLAY's *Rapture* in the sixth awakened something like positive enthusiasm, and gave a faint foretaste of the thousand-throated roar that will one day hail the winners of our great national racing event.

ARRIVAL OF THE INDIANS.

The sensation of the day was the arrival of the red men. They came in two omnibuses, under the guidance of Gen. SMITH, and were accommodated with seats at the upper end of the stand. The dark blanket rug which they kept round their shoulders looked like a very warm covering for the season, but did not appear greatly to embarrass them. There were numerous inquiries made as to the whereabouts of RED CLOUD, but it appeared that he had gone out before the rest of his party and had evidently been conducted elsewhere.

The chiefs who were present appeared to derive much amusement from the sport. The third race was particularly enjoyed by them, even the indifference of the squaws giving way before the exciting finish. RICHARDS, the half caste interpreter, seemed rather bored by the somewhat too marked attention bestowed upon his friends. He stated that they had asked no questions about what they saw, appearing to understand it perfectly, and he seemed to suppose that in the absence of RED CLOUD, the opinions of any of the rest were of little consequence. After a short stay they seemed to find the attentions of the crowd rather oppressive, and departed as they had come, the older squaws waving graceful adieux to the good-byes of the onlookers.

THE FINALE.

With two walks over, and the accident that interrupted the last race, the day's sport was concluded at an earlier hour than usual. As the green lanes of Fordham became once more crowded with pedestrians, the dust clouds began to rise from Central-avenue, and speeding along swiftly to avoid the gathering thunderstorm, the long line of vehicles went flashing homeward. On the way to the depot the solitary professor of three-card monte, who has stuck faithfully to the meeting, was found to be reinforced by a companion in the art. Then did the two combine their persuasive accents to induce "gentlemen who had lost money at the races to try their luck, and win it back." The victims referred to did not appear greatly inclined to swallow the bait, and the gentlemen who had won money seemed disposed to keep it. Stool-pigeons, it is true, made wondrous runs of luck, and went through all the complicated *finesse* of their special functions. But the general public seemed disposed to look on merely, and then quickly hasten off to catch the train. The process of packing and scrambling recommenced, and that rigidly curtailed allowance of cars gave another Turkish bath experience, with the additional advantage of having the shower, with which that operation usually concludes, accessible by stepping out to the platforms. But the good temper of the crowd came triumphantly out of the ordeal, and winners, losers and indifferent spectators seemed alike able to carry with them pleasant memories of the Spring meeting of 1870.

Detailed Account of the Races—Condition and Characteristics of the Horses—How They Conducted Themselves—The Time of Each Contest.

Yesterday concluded the Spring Meeting of the American Jockey Club, at Jerome Park, being the racing of Saturday postponed on account of the heavy rain on that day. A finer day than yesterday could not have been desired for the sports of the turf, although it was rather sultry during the afternoon in the full blaze of the midsummer sun. The attendance was very large, the number of those patronizing the route by road being unprecedentedly great, for the public are getting thoroughly disgusted with the wretched management displayed by the officials of the Harlem Railroad. Although a train was advertised to start from the City at 1½ P. M., it did not leave Forty-second-street until 2 P. M., and went at such a slow rate that the great majority of those who went by it missed the hurdle race, and the consequence was that instead of paying for admission into the course, having missed their principal attraction, they preferred going up to the Park View House grounds and witnessing the remaining races from the commanding elevation there free of charge. This was a serious drawback to the interest of the meeting. As Mr. WILLIAM VANDERBILT is one of the stewards of the meeting just terminated, he ought in justice to the Club and to the public

CURRENT NOTES

Commencement at Harvard July 28.

SLY & STRAIGHT is an Elmira firm.

WILLIAM GILMORE SIMMS' last words were: "Not long."

A State Labor Convention is to be held in Jacksonville, Fla., July 4.

A Providence undertaker has a pleasant habit of sending his card to all the sick persons he can hear of.

H. H. HELPER announces that he is a conservative candidate for Congress in the North Carolina Sixth District.

The Republicans of Butler County, Penn., formally recommend Hon. E. MCJENKEN, one of the ablest lawyers in the State, for Congress.

Hon. WILLIAM H. PURNELL, of Baltimore, is to be inaugurated as President of Delaware College, on Wednesday, July 6.

The Alumni of Bowdoin College, Maine, residing in Chicago and vicinity, are to form an association.

JOHN Y. MASON has been elected President of the Princeton College Alumni Association of Maryland. Their next social reunion is to take place on Tuesday, Dec. 13.

The Vermont Democratic State Convention is to be held in Montpelier to-morrow. It will nominate candidates for Governor, Lieutenant-Governor and State Treasurer.

The Cincinnati *Gazette* reports that unless the Observatory in that city is speedily supplied with funds it must be abandoned, and the glass, one of the best in the country, sold.

TRAUGOTT KRACKRUGGE, of Louisville, who only a few weeks ago induced a beautiful young lady to take his name, is in jail for beating her cruelly.

The New-Orleans *Times* asserts that some sad news received recently "dropped like a great stone into the well of a world's heart, and splashed the water into its eyes."

Nearly fifty guests at the principal hotel in Los Angeles, Cal., were poisoned recently, and three employes in the hotel have been arrested on suspicion. The guests were all very sick, but fortunately no deaths occurred.

A Boston woman refused to permit her husband to go on a fishing excursion, "because he was very apt to be drowned when he went upon the water, and, moreover, did not know how to swim any more than a goose."

The Toledo Board of Trade has appointed a committee to co-operate with a similar committee in Cincinnati in reference to the Convention to be held in November to urge the enlargement of the Miami and Erie Canal between Toledo and Cincinnati. It has also indorsed the Commercial Convention of business men of this State, and will send five delegates to the same.

The Auburn *News* now says that the great scheme, projected by capitalists of Auburn and other cities, and to rival the old Merchants' Union Express Company in the extent of its operations and the amount of money invested, is not what is generally known by the name of an "express" company, being more of what may be called a quick transit company.

The Chicago *Post*, alluding to the manner in which the late proclamation by Gov. HOLDEN, of North Carolina, is treated by the Democratic Press, expresses the belief that had one of these prints been published 6,000 years ago on the banks of the Euphrates, it would have had a column concerning the first murder, headed: "Great Outrage on Cain! His Crops Destroyed by Abel's Sheep!! Cain Defends Himself!"

A Missouri paper, the Middletown *Banner*, tells a horrible story, how a circus band, riding in that village on top of the cage of lions, were precipitated among the infuriated beasts by the horses becoming frightened and dashing the carriage against a large stone; and how three of the band were killed, and half devoured, and four others terribly lacerated. All this on the 12th of last month—and it all may be true.

The real and personal property of California is returned by the Assessors at an aggregate not exceeding $240,000,000. The San Francisco *Bulletin* asserts that this is greatly under the true value, and it believes that if full and exact property statistics can be obtained, California values will be found at least three times larger than they are returned by the assessors, and that San Francisco values alone will foot up at least $300,000,000.

Recent Honolulu papers announce the death of Hon. JOHN II, "another of the noblest and best among the Hawaiians who have become identified with the advancement of the nation." He was for many years a Judge of the Supreme Court, and at the time of his death was a Privy Councillor and member of the House of Nobles. For more than forty years he was identified with the missionary cause, having been a devoted and sincere Christian.

Boston people were in much doubt as to the probable result of the Maine Republican State Convention certainly, until they read yesterday morning's *Advertiser*. The Augusta correspondent of that trustworthy paper said: "In view of all the fixtures that are made both by day and night for this devoutly to be wished for tribute that we owe ten thousand times to the greatest genius of our day. I have no doubt our book publishers and editors and theater managers will act on these committees and aid the fund in this City and Boston.

EUGENE BEEBE, No. 78 Cedar-street.

UNCURRENT NOTES.

The Pacific Bond and Other Forgeries—Long and Successful Pursuit of the Counterfeit Plates.

It will be remembered that in November last a nest of counterfeiters on Staten Island was invaded by Superintendent JOURDAN, Col. WHITELY, Chief of the United States Detectives, and Capt. KELSO, who succeeded in arresting five noted operators, and in seizing a large number of the utensils of their nefarious trade. The prisoners were persons known as CARPENTER, PIERCE, CLARK, RIPTON and KEMPTON, who had long been under the surveillance of the detectives, who had finally become possessed of evidence showing that the operations were preparing to flood the country with "bogus" United States notes and counterfeit bonds of several railroads. CARPENTER, who was noted as one of the most skillful engravers in the country, was at the head of the conspiracy, and his associates were men every way qualified to work of the false notes and bonds upon the public, and but for the early notification of their contemplated proceedings, and the skill and activity displayed by the officials in making use of the information to the discomfiture of the counterfeitors at the inception of their enterprise, the public would have suffered a very severe loss.

But the efforts of the detectives did not cease with the arrest on Staten Island. It was found after that event that an admirably executed plate of the $1,000 bonds of the Central Pacific Railroad of California, which was their chief stock in trade, was still missing. So long as it was not in official possession, there was an absolute certainty that sooner or later it would be used for the production of counterfeit bonds, which would be so undistinguishable from the genuine as to become readily current in the market, and it was determined to follow it until it was secured. After a time the detectives were satisfied that it had been sent to Europe, and Detective FARLEY, who had been distinguished in the case from the beginning, was sent abroad to follow the clue in hand. Upon arriving in Liverpool he put himself in communication with Inspector CARLISLE, of the Detective Police of that city, and these two officers proceeded to Paris where they succeeded in finding the plates in possession of a person with whom they had been left to await the arrival of CARPENTER, who but for his timely arrest, would long before that time have been in Paris, producing the bonds in such quantity and quality as to have ruined thousands of persons. The detectives refuse to give the name or any particulars of the person in whose possession the plates were found, as they say he was an innocent holder.

Yesterday Detective FARLEY reached the City in the steamer *City of Brooklyn*, and delivered the plates to Superintendent JOURDAN. It was conceded by all who saw them, that no better specimens of the engraving art had ever been produced, and that if they had been left in the hands of the outlaws they would have convulsed the financial world.

Capture of Counterfeiter—Seizure of $2,500 in Bad Money.

A notorious character named GEORGE MORRIS was arrested by one of Col. WHITELEY'S secret service assistants at the corner of Broadway and Amity-street, yesterday, with $2,500 in bad money in his possession. The money was all in counterfeit $20 bills on the City National Bank of Utica. The accused was represented to be a confederate of DALEY, the rough who assaulted and seriously injured one of Col. WHITELEY'S detectives during last week. He waived an examination before Commissioner DEVLIN, and was consequently held to await the action of the Grand Jury. The chances are all in favor of his being sent to State Prison.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Routine of Business [Accomplished—The Street-Cleaning Muddle.

The Board of Health met yesterday at the usual hour, President BOSWORTH in the chair, and Commissioners Stephen Smith, Ceccarini, Mullaly, Manierre, Groos and Carnochan being present. Applications for orders were presented from the Attorney; suits were ordered to be commenced in ten cases of violations of the tenement-house law, and in twelve cases of non-compliance with the orders of the Board. The Committee on Vital Statistics made a report recommending that a copy of the annual report of the Board, and copies of the weekly statistics of mortality be sent to Paris, in compliance with the request of the authorities of that city, which was ordered to be done. The same Committee reported a resolution defining the duties of the Deputy Register of Records, which was adopted. The Committee on Street Cleaning being called, Mr. MULLALY muttered "progress," and the weekly reports of the Police Captains as to omissions of the contractor to clean the streets according to contract were again successfully smothered.

An ordinance was presented intended to prevent the practice referred to in the report of Dr. RUSSELL, Register of Records, as to undertakers removing dead bodies from one point to another without permit, which was referred to the Committee on Law.

Permits were granted to occupy cellars as human habitations at Nos. 618 and 620 East Eleventh-street, and one other application for the same privilege was refused.

Communications being in order, one was read from Gov. HOFFMAN, stating that he had transmitted copies of the resolutions of the Board relating to warehouses at Quarantine to the Senators and Representatives of New-York in Congress. MIDDLETON BELL submitted a proposition to remove the night-soil from the City at the rate of $300 per boat; it was referred to the Sanitary Committee. One Lieut. LAMBERT, of the *Prussian*, notified the Board that he has a sure and reliable cure for hydrophobia, but the Board having heard of the matter before, ordered the letter on file. A letter from the Water Purveyor made a demand for the transfer of all public drinking hydrants to the Department of Public Works, as required by the act by which was referred to the Finance Committee.

A report submitting an ordinance to prevent the sale or use of dangerous kerosene was referred to the Committee on Law.

The subject of street-cleaning again came up, by Commissioner MULLALY offering a resolution that the work of daily cleaning the streets in infected districts, which has been discontinued by order of the Board, be resumed by the City Sanitary Inspector. It was explained that there has been a very great diminution in the mortality and liability to disease in these districts since the daily cleaning of the streets was commenced, Mott-street being especially instanced for the almost total disappearance of pleading fever. After considerable debate and numerous explanations, the resolution was adopted. Dr. MORRIS reported a number of unpaved streets as requiring cleaning by the Board, which was referred to the Committee, and the Board adjourned until Monday.

WRONGS OF SEAMEN.

How they are Maltreated on Shipboard and on Land—How Guilty Officers Sometimes Escape Punishment—Call for Prompt Measures of Relief.

The ill-treatment which sailors often suffer from tyrannical officers while at sea, and the difficulties which beset their way in bringing the offenders before the Courts for punishment, have formed the subject of a correspondence between Gen. JOSEPH H. JACKSON, United States Assistant District-Attorney, and the American Seamen's Friend Society. The former gentleman refers to the matter as follows:

Instances of abusive treatment of crews at the hands of their officers are alarmingly numerous. These are too often repeated to pass unnoticed on land. Even when the Federal Government, through its District-Attorney and his assistants, does all in its power to punish offenses on the high seas, such are usually the condition and character of the witnesses that when they arrive in port they are the victims of those in league with their guilty officers, as well as of other ruinous influences. True, the Government sometimes obtains relief by the Court of Detention, and gives a witness $1 each day of his delay, over and above his subsistence. But, of all things, sailors dislike involuntary confinement most. The House of Detention—keeping them within a single building, without work, their families often suffering—is to them a prison. Frequently, when so detained as witnesses, sailors have lost opportunities of fresh shipment. The result is, it becomes next to impossible for the Government, after learning of an offense committed on the high seas, to secure the attendance of witnesses enough to insure the conviction of the accused. There is a complete system, extending from the so-called "counsel" for offending officers down to boarding-house keepers and runners, by which abused sailors and the witnesses to their abuse are hurried out of the way under the influence of bribes, threats, personal injury or intoxicating drink. Did those who ship in our American bottoms know that not only would the United States Courts and officers do all within their power to redress the wrongs done American seamen, but that kind and intelligent officers would shield, encourage and aid them while seeking to enforce their rights in our Courts, the number of instances of abusive treatment of sailors by their officers would rapidly decrease.

The following reply was made to the above statement:

THE AMERICAN SEAMEN'S FRIEND SOCIETY, }
NEW-YORK, June 13, 1870. }

Joseph Jackson, Esq., Assistant United States Attorney:

DEAR SIR: Your communication, addressed to the managers of the American Seamen's Friend Society, came duly to hand, and has been read with great interest. I am requested in acknowledging the same, to say that our President, W. A. BOOTH, Esq., regards it as a paper eminently worthy of our consideration, and that our Board, to whom it is to be submitted at the next regular meeting, 29th inst., will undoubtedly refer it to a special committee.

Yours, very truly,
SAMUEL H. HALL, Cor. Secretary.

THE QUARANTINE TROUBLES.

Action of the Merchants and the Collector.

Cargoes Sent to Other Ports for Discharge—The Laws Governing the Health Officer.

The difficulty between the merchants of this City and the Health Officer of this port has assumed such a magnitude now as would seem to justify the Collector in exercising the authority vested in him, and if he should employ the means at his command it is quite probable that there may be a collision. The excitement of the merchants was intense yesterday, and the action of the Health Officer was the chief topic of discussion. The Collector was appealed to, but the most that he could do under the present aspect of affairs was to give advice, stating, however, that if necessary he would use the powers at his command to enforce the revenue regulations.

ALLEGED THREATS BY THE HEALTH OFFICER.

The Health Officer, it is asserted, declared that if consignees or masters of vessels do not comply with his directions and discharge the cargoes released from Quarantine into the stores designated by him, he will keep the vessels forty days; further, that if any lighters are sent down to Quarantine except those that he employs, he will seize and quarantine them. In case he should attempt to carry out the latter portion of his alleged threat, and should seize lighters which are licensed by the Custom-house, the Collector would doubtless interfere, and then there might be a collision. Two vessels from Rio, laden with coffee, consigned to a prominent house here, arrived a few days ago. The Captains were notified to discharge into coasters, which would take the cargo to Baltimore—that being the destination. The Health Officer would not allow the ships to come up to the City unless they went to TOBIN'S stores, (Atlantic Dock,) and would not permit the coffee to be lightered up in any other craft than those which he designated. If his orders were complied with it would involve an additional expense to the consignees of $1,250 each cargo, and this they were not willing to incur. The masters of the vessels were therefore ordered to proceed to sea, without attempting to come up or discharge, and go to Baltimore and there land the cargoes. This the masters have a clear right to do, and if the Health Officer shall interfere to prevent, the consequence might be serious.

MERCHANTS SENDING CARGOES TO OTHER PORTS.

Within a few days, and since this quarrel became an open one, two vessels have arrived in New-York to discharge their cargoes of sugar, instead of bringing them to this port, where they would be subjected to detention and great unnecessary expense.

The merchants claim that the course of the Health Officer, if persisted in, will give the commerce of this port a blow from which it will take years to recover. Already consignees of vessels to arrive are preparing to send their ships to other ports, as soon as they shall be spoken below, and will continue to do so until relief is afforded.

THE COLLECTOR'S VIEW.

The Collector claims, as has been stated in the TIMES, that as soon as the Health Officer releases a vessel or cargo from quarantine, neither are any longer in his (the Health Officer's) jurisdiction. The vessel may then proceed to any store which may be designated by the owner or consignee, provided such store is bonded according to law; or the cargo may be lightered up to the City in any craft the owner or consignee may select, provided such craft has been bonded. This view the Collector asserts is correct, and he will do all that he can to sustain it.

EXORBITANT CHARGES.

The merchants claim that the charges for service at Quarantine are exorbitant. For instance, coffee in bags can be lightered from below at 6 or 8 cents per bag, while the Quarantine charges for this service are 18 cents. Sugar in hogsheads can be handled for 60 to 65 cents, while 95 cents are demanded. Cooperage is also enormous, and it is asserted that where one or two hoops only are required on a cask, half a dozen will be charged for.

The Quarantine Commissioners seem to have no control over the Health Officer. The communication sent them the other day from the Health Officer of Brooklyn, (Dr. COCHRANE,) demanding by what law Dr. CARNOCHAN acted, remains unanswered, but probably the best reply that can be given will be found in the subjoined extracts from the laws relative to Quarantine in the port of New-York. From these it would appear that Dr. CARNOCHAN has no warrant for the course he pursues, and that he has no power to enforce the threats he is said to have made.

THE LAWS REGULATING QUARANTINE.

Section 9 of the act of April 29, 1863, is as follows:

Vessels arriving at the port of New-York shall be subject to quarantine as follows: 1. All vessels from any place where disease, subject to quarantine, existed at the time of their departure, or shall have arrived at any such place, and proceeded thence to New-York, or on board of which, during the voyage, any case of such disease shall have occurred, arriving between the first day of April and the first day of November, shall remain at quarantine for at least thirty days after their arrival, and at least twenty days after their cargo shall have been discharged, unless the Health Officer shall deem dangerous to the public health, the vessel and cargo shall be detained until the case shall have been considered; the decision of the Health Officer, however, in all such cases shall be rendered within twenty-four hours. Vessels in an unhealthy state, whether there has been sickness on board or not, shall not be allowed pratique until they shall have been broken out, duly cleansed and ventilated.

That the Health Officer cannot prevent a vessel leaving port before breaking bulk is clear from section 19, which is as follows:

A SHIP MAY PUT TO SEA.

SEC. 19. A vessel shall have the right, before breaking bulk, of putting to sea in preference to being quarantined; in the exercise of this right, if the vessel have not arrived at her port of destination, the bill of health shall be returned.

OWNERS MAY EMPLOY THEIR OWN LIGHTERS.

The following section (39) gives permission to the Health Officer to allow the owners to employ their own lighters:

SEC. 39. The Health Officer, in the lighterage, stevedorage and steerage of vessels and merchandise in Quarantine, may permit the Captains and owners to employ lighterage and men on their own account; all persons so employed, however, shall be subject to the same restrictions for the protection of the public health as those who may be licensed for the same services by the Health Officer and Commissioners.

APPEALS FROM THE HEALTH OFFICER.

The Commissioners of Quarantine cannot well plead that they have no authority to interfere in the present quarrel in the face of section 38, which is as follows:

SEC. 38. Any person aggrieved by any decision or direction of the Health Officer, may appeal therefrom to the Commissioners of Quarantine, who shall constitute a Board of Appeal; the said Board shall have power to affirm, reverse or modify the decision, order or direction appealed from, and the decision of said Board thereon shall be final.

They may argue, however, that no appeal has been made to them.

COMPENSATION FOR EMPLOYES.

The following extract from the laws of 1870 appears to be the only authority which the Commissioners of Quarantine have to determine the compensation which the employes of the Health Officer shall receive, and this is very ambiguous:

And to enable the Health Officer to enforce that sanitary discipline among the employes of said establishment which is necessary to the prompt and efficient discharge of his duties, all of said employes, as well as all persons required by law to be licensed for service under quarantine, shall be selected and licensed, and may at pleasure be dismissed by him; and the compensation and charges for services of all persons so selected or licensed shall be fixed and determined by said Commissioners, in conjunction with the Health Officer, the Mayor of the City of New-York, the President of the Board of Aldermen of said City, and the Mayor of the City of Brooklyn.

The Quarantine Commissioners appear anxious to keep out of the fight if they can, and leave the matter to be settled by the merchants and the Health Officer.

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Resignation of President Larremore—Election of Mr. Bernard Smyth as President—Prizes for Proficiency in the German Language.

The New-York Board of Education met at 4 P. M. yesterday, Mr. LARREMORE in the chair.

A communication was read from the City Superintendent, stating that during the month of May twenty-four schools and 244 classes had been examined. Of these classes 199 were creditable and seventy-six excellent. The number of scholars on register was 101,054, and the average daily attendance 86,730.

A resolution by Mr. WOOD was adopted, directing the Principlas of schools to report every two weeks the names of teachers reporting for duty after 9¼ A. M.

A communication was received from Mrs. ANNA OTTENDORFER, stating that in order to promote and stimulate the study of the German language in the Female Normal College, she will place in the hands of the Board of Education a $1,000 seven per cent. bond of the City of New-York, the interest received therefrom to be expended in procuring one gold and one silver medal, to be given to the best and second best scholars of the Female Normal School in German elocution and composition, the medals to be awarded by a Committee of experts, and the first prize to be given in July, 1871.

The thanks of the Board were ordered to be transmitted to Mrs. OTTENDORFER, and her liberal offer was accepted.

The contract for supplying the public schools with coal during 1871 was awarded to WM. MIDDLETON at $5 49 per ton, and the contract of wood to J. T. BARNARD & SONS.

The Controller was requested to place the sum of $500,000 to the credit of the Board.

Mr. LARREMORE then left the chair, which was taken by Mr. BELL, and the clerk then read the following:

To the Honorable the Board of Education of the City of New-York:

At the recent judicial election in this State I was elected a Judge of the Court of Common Pleas for the City and County of New-York. I then intimated to my associates in the Board that my connection with it must necessarily cease, but your kind partiality I was induced to withhold the public declaration of the fact, and give the whole matter further consideration. After careful and serious deliberation I have concluded to resign my position as Commissioner of Common Schools, and have framed and sent to his Honor the Mayor official notice of such intention, to take effect July 1, 1870. The reasons that have influenced my action will, I think, receive your unanimous approval. The Board of Education, under existing laws, possesses important and extensive jurisdiction—executive, legislative and judicial. Its action is subject to review by our Courts of Record, and it is unavoidable that the Court of which I am soon to be a member will be required to adjudicate upon matters affecting the future legislation of this Board. The duties and responsibilities of the judicial office are paramount and absorbing to such a degree of any division of time or labor for the claims of another office of equal importance and responsibility. Of this you are too well advised to need further comment. Our system while unexceptionable, and under your able administration will continue to be, our pride and boast. Fulfill the earnest expectations of its future advancement and success and your reward will be no less enduring than deserved. To the inspectors and teachers, whose co-operation I have shared; to the Superintendents, by whose experience and fidelity I have been guided; to the teachers, whose worth and faithfulness will ever be my example; to the clerks of the office, to the reporters of the Press, and to all with whom I have been connected, I would return thanks for an official career made easier, happier, and, I trust better, by their united influence and support. From all I have received tokens of esteem, have ever received renewed manifestations of respect and appreciation, and my parting wish for you all is, that the benefits you have so continuously conferred upon others may be returned to bless and gladden your own hearts.

I have the honor to remain, respectfully yours,
R. L. LARREMORE.

Mr. SANDS offered a resolution relative to the connection therewith, rejoicing at Mr. LARREMORE'S elevation to the Bench and regretting his severance of his connection with the great public school system of New-York.

Mr. WOOD said that although there was really no legal necessity for Mr. LARREMORE'S resignation of the Presidency of the Board, yet he had felt that it would be better for him to sever his connection with it, and in so doing he had acted with the same spirit of honor which distinguished all his conduct.

Mr. SMYTH made a few remarks highly complimentary to Mr. LARREMORE.

The resolutions were then adopted, and Mr. WOOD nominated Mr. BERNARD SMYTH as President of the Board. On the first ballot Mr. SMYTH received seven votes and Mr. WOOD nine. Mr. SMYTH was therefore declared to be duly elected President of the Board from the 1st of July next.

Mr. BRENNAN offered a resolution that a portrait of Mr. LARREMORE be procured, to be placed in the chamber of the Board, which was adopted, and the Board then adjourned.

POLICE TRIALS

Derelictions of Sergeants—Cases of Clubbing.

Commissioner BOSWORTH yesterday investigated the complaints in the cases of seventeen policemen.

Sergt. JOHN H. POLLY, of the Nineteenth Precinct, was charged with improper conduct in refusing to send an officer to arrest a disorderly man, at No. 945 Third-avenue, when requested to do so by a citizen. He stated in defense that he had previously had the affair investigated, and found that it did not justify an arrest, as everything was quiet, and nobody had any idea of violence. He said, further, that he had told the persons applying that if there was any further disturbance he would have the man arrested.

SAMUEL ROBINSON, of the Twenty-sixth Precinct, was charged by THOMAS KELLY, with clubbing him. KELLY was a hackman, and stated that ROBINSON, who was on duty as the Hudson River Railroad, had struck him in the mouth with his club without any provocation. ROBINSON, however, stated that KELLY was violently assailing passengers to get them into his coach, and when ROBINSON interfered for their protection, KELLY attempted to assault him, and, being then arrested, was fined $10 next morning by Justice COX. The charge against ROBINSON was dismissed.

AUGUSTUS H. WARNER, Fifth Precinct, was charged with improper conduct. LOUIS PORTNER, a boy, stated that on the 6th inst. he stepped into a vacant lot at the corner of Hudson and Thomas streets, the only approach into which was through a window. There were a large number of boys in the lot playing ball, who, seeing WARNER coming, ran to the window to escape, among whom was PORTNER, who in going through the window fell, and was struck by WARNER with his club as he fell. He did not rise, and it was found that the knee-pan was broken, from which injury he is yet disabled. The witnesses for WARNER claimed that the wound was the result of the fall, but admitted that WARNER struck him as he was going through the window. The blow, however, it was insisted, was not sufficient to have caused the injury. The officer said that he merely swung his club, without intending to strike him, and did not think he did, but he did it "as was not two pounds' weight. Commissioner BOSWORTH remarked that there were times when the club ought to be vigorously used, but he could not justify the striking of a boy when he was in the act of falling. The case was referred to the Board.

Appointment by the Mayor of a Member of the Board of Education.

The following correspondence has taken place between the President of the Board of Education and Mayor HALL:

BOARD OF EDUCATION, }
NEW-YORK, June 13, 1870. }

Hon. A. Oakey Hall, Mayor of the City of New-York:

DEAR SIR: My election to the Bench of the Court of Common Pleas of this City renders necessary my resignation of the trust confided to me by your appointment of May 4, 1869. I hereby resign my office as Commissioner of Common Schools in and for the City and County of New-York, said resignation to take effect July 1, 1870. Trusting that the cause of public education, in which you have always manifested such an active and abiding interest, may ever advance in public favor and support,

I have the honor to remain, respectfully yours,
R. L. LARREMORE.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL, }
NEW-YORK, June 15, 1870. }

MY DEAR SIR: In now accepting your resignation, I cannot appoint your successor without expressing, in behalf of my constituents, their general feeling of regret in losing you from the educational service to which, with conscientiousness, discreet zeal, sympathetic application and practical understanding of school wants, you have for many years devoted yourself; and in selecting Mr. NATHANIEL JARVIS as your successor, I have endeavored, in all those capacities, to try and fill your place.

With great respect, your friend and obedient servant,
A. OAKEY HALL.

RICHARD L. LARREMORE, Esq., President Board of Education.

Honors to Hon. Benjamin Wood on His Departure for Europe.

Hon. BENJAMIN WOOD and family sailed for Europe on the steamer *Java*, yesterday, with the intention of traveling a few months on the Continent. Mr. WOOD was escorted down the Bay by the steam-boat *A. H. Schultz*, carrying a large number of his personal friends. Among the number were Judges Kiyley and Quinn, Assistant Alderman Duffy, John L. Whiting, Clerk of Washington Market; Messrs. Henry E. Lynch, Robert Farmer, J. Nelson Manning, Mortimer Sullivan, Alderman Patrick Lyeaght, Wm. H. Burns, of the Mayor's office; Hon. Patrick Cuff, of the Carlton Club; John H. Welch, Carroll Cunneen, James Taylor, James Bastinnelle, John Folan, Owen Keenan, Denis Dermody, Constantine Donaghue, John Canary, C. Patrick Shields, Ex-Councilman Brophy, H. Michael Dalton, Francis Murray, Edward Coppers, Isaac Black, James Kiernan, Thomas J. Riley, and several others.

THE INDIANS.

Council of Peace at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

The Views and Feelings of Red Cloud—Movements of the Party—They Cut the Jubilee for the Twelve Temptations—Public Meeting Today.

At an early hour yesterday, almost, in fact, before highly-civilized people had finished their morning's repast, several members of the Indian Peace Commission of this City, and other persons interested in the welfare of the red man, made application at the St. Nicholas Hotel for an interview with RED CLOUD and his party.

The first persons admitted by Gen. SMITH were Mr. PETER COOPER, VINCENT COLLYER, Rev. HOWARD CROSBY, Mr. TATHAM, Dr. WEEKS, of the Indian Commission, and a few other gentlemen who presented strong claims for the favor of an introduction, including a representative of the TIMES. The sons of the forest have a suite of rooms on the upper floor of the hotel, and to one of these the party of visitors was taken, where they found Red Cloud Red Dog, Red Fly, Red Shirt and several other red skins, Brave Bear, Little Bear, Yellow Bear, Sitting Bear, Rock Bear, Living Bear, and some who were only partly Bare, together with Gen. JOHN E. SMITH, Col. BUSHNELL, Mr. DOUGLAS and JOHN MCCLUSKEY, the interpreter. The Indians were dressed for the most part in black cloth or leather pantaloons, and checked shirts, with no other garment, and reclined upon their blankets on the floor or sat on the beds and chairs. Their long coarse hair was generally parted in the middle, and hung in lank tresses over their shoulders. Their faces presented the extreme type of the American race as pictured in our school-books, with broad angular features, a deep coppery skin, black eyes, and broad mouths. The expression of their faces differed greatly, some having a dark and savage look, and others presenting a good-natured and rather benevolent aspect. Most of them wore a profusion of cheap ornaments of shell or metal attached to their dress, or suspended from their hair and ears, RED DOG wearing in each ear, suspended by a large hole in it, what appeared to be a steel corkscrew wheel of three or four inches in diameter. RED CLOUD seemed the impersonation of thoughtfulness. He wore no ornaments and was dressed with extreme plainness. To him Gen. SMITH addressed himself through the interpreter and endeavored to soothe his feelings and convince him that the people and Government of this country had only the best wishes for his race, and asked him if he would accept of a present of some goods which he (Gen. SMITH) was empowered to give him. RED CLOUD rose with dignity and said:

RED CLOUD: The Great Spirit placed me and my people on this land poor and naked. When the white men came we gave them lands, and did not wish to hurt them. But the white man drove us back and took our lands. Then the Great Father made us many promises, but they are not kept. He promised to give us large presents, and when they came to us they were small; they seemed to be taken away. I came from my people to lay their affairs before the Great Father and I tell him just what I mean and what my people wish, and I gain nothing. I asked him for seventeen horses for my young men to ride from the border to our camps, and he does not give them. I have no stock and no presents. The Great Spirit placed me here poor and naked. I appear so before you, and I do not feel sorry for that. I am not mad—I am in good humor—but I have received no satisfaction. I am disappointed. I cannot change my claims. I am not SPOTTED TAIL. What I say I stick to. My people understand what I come here for, and I should lose my power if I did not stick to one course. You (to Gen. SMITH) are my friend. You always talk straight and I am blaming you.

Gen. SMITH then endeavored to explain that the Great Father and his assistants were not in office when the treaty of 1868 was made, and were bound by its provisions, but would try to change the law, and if the Indians would remain peaceable, in time they might accomplish all they desired. The presents he spoke of were for him personally, and would not be reckoned on the account of the nation. Moreover, he thought he would get for him the horses he desired, but would not positively promise them. Here Mr. COOPER interposed and told Gen. SMITH that if the Government would not furnish the horses, he would.

RED CLOUD replied that he came here to see his friends, and he found them good men. He was not mad, but had a good heart, and wished to keep peace. It was well for white men to say, "Do not kill our men," but they kill the Indians first, and there was a brave warrior by his side whose son and brother had been killed, and who himself had been shot twice by soldiers. If the present and the horses were offered to him (RED CLOUD) privately, he would take them. He wished to be friendly.

Gen. SMITH then explained to him the wish of his visitors. They would take him about the City and its grounds during the day, and to the theater in the evening, and to-morrow (today) they wished him to meet the people and talk to them, and then they would start for home and go directly through. To this he assented, and this ended the formal interview.

Dr. WEEKS then had a conversation with the Chief, in which he tried to explain the difference between good and bad Indians and good and bad white men, and to set forth the cause of all the troubles. He then gave to the interpreter a copy of the outline of a plan prepared by a committee of the Indian Commission, appointed at the late Convention in this City for the settlement of the whole Indian question, by placing the tribes on reservations, furnishing them with the means of civilization and protecting them in their rights and property. This plan is, when completed, to be submitted to the Secretary of the Interior, and finally brought before Congress.

During this council the four women of the party and two or three men were sitting in an inner apartment on the floor, playing with beads and trinkets, and apparently engaged in the peculiar modes of gossip of their race. One comely girl of sixteen or eighteen years, dressed in a single garment of blue flannel flowing freely from the shoulders to the feet, and ornamented with beads and shells, was playing with a string of beads and a lapful of shells and colored glass, while a muscular brave was intently occupied in breaking up a highly-colored shell into pieces of various sizes and shapes.

At 12 o'clock, according to the understanding already mentioned, the party entered several carriages at the door of the hotel for a ride about the City and in the Park, while an immense crowd of people thronged the streets to catch a glimpse of the original possessors of the American soil. The party took the usual route up Fifth-avenue and around the drives of the Park, with which they expressed their satisfaction by occasional grunts, which the interpreter did not translate.

The benevolent designs of their friends of the Indian Commission to save them from the more trivial and seductive amusements of the City, by taking them to the Jubilee for an elevated and intellectual entertainment, were thwarted by FISK, Jr., who, having failed to subject SPOTTED TAIL and his companions to the test or the "Twelve Temptations," as he had wickedly intended, found means of inducing the terrible RED CLOUD and his warriors to disregard the pious wishes of their high-toned friends and visit the Grand Opera House. Thither they proceeded in a body, and, sad to say, appeared to take especial delight in the fantastic gambols of the semi-nude coryphees and the gorgeous display of parti-colored Sustian, glittering tinsel and red fire. The Indian Commission, however, has its revenge, and today the great Chief is to meet his pale-faced brethren at the Cooper Institute, where the promised speech will be got from him. He will speak, of course, in his native tongue, and the interpreter will endeavor to do his eloquence into English. The admission to this "reception" is free, and those who desire reserved seats can obtain them at the Reading-room of the Cooper Union without charge.

In the afternoon the entire party will leave the City for the West, making no stop on the way to the plains.

Gross Neglect of Duty by a Police Sergeant.

The accident occurring to KATE SLAVIN, aged three years, at first appeared inexplicable from the fact that it was reported at about the same hour from two precincts so widely apart as the Fifth and Seventeenth. Both reported that while sitting on the steps of her house, No. 406 Washington-street, she had been struck in the mouth by an ignited fire-cracker thrown by a careless boy, and had been seriously injured. It now appears that after the accident, the child was taken by its mother to the Fifth Precinct Station-house in search of surgical aid. Sergt. FIELD, who was in charge, instead of summoning the Police Surgeon, said "it would take half a dozen doctors to fix up that young one," and sent her into the street. She wandered about a considerable time, and was at last escorted by a citizen to the Seventeenth Precinct Station-house where she received the attention which should have been before extended, and the injuries of the child having been dressed, she was sent to Bellevue Hospital. A complaint has been made by Superintendent JOURDAN and Capt. PETTY against Sergt. FIELD for his conduct in this matter, and he will be immediately brought to trial before the Police Commissioners.

Masonic Festival—Annual Picnic of Manitou Lodge No. 106.

Manitou Lodge, No. 106, of Freemasons, of this City, held its third annual picnic yesterday afternoon and evening, at Elm Park, on the corner of Ninety-second-street and Eighth-avenue. The attendance was quite large, although the rain in the afternoon interfered somewhat with the proposed festivities. The grounds were tastefully adorned with flags and mottoes, and in the evening illuminated with Chinese lanterns. The principal amusement was dancing, for which a handsome order card was issued. In addition, speeches were made by prominent [illegible] present, and a number of songs were also well rendered. The music was by Wallace's Band. The affair was successfully managed and made enjoyable by the exertions of the following Executive Committee: N. B. Mumford, A. A. Marks, L. W. Sawtelle, John Bloomer, Charles Hayden, George Mason and William Olmsted. Among the guests present were Messrs. JOHN A. KENNEDY and WILSON SMALL, both Past Masters of the Lodge. M. W. JOHN H. ANTHON and other officers of the Grand Lodge of Masons were expected to visit the grounds later in the evening. The three highest officers of Manitou Lodge are as follows: JOHN C. HELMS, Master; T. H. MCBRIDE, Senior Warden; JOHN HURD, Junior Warden. The festivities last evening, notwithstanding the unpropitious weather, were continued until a late hour.

THE ALEXANDER-GARDINER CASE

Examination of Ira C. Gardiner, Dr. Brockway and Rosa King—Further and Important Disclosures—The Case Again Adjourned—Copy of Capt. Alexander's Will.

Precisely at 1 o'clock, yesterday, Surrogate HUTCHINGS opened Court to resume the hearing of the evidence in the Alexander-Gardiner will case. The testimony was very important, and some of it entirely new. Mrs. BURKE, the testatrix, was present, but was quite ill from the effects of excitement. Considerable side talk was indulged in by counsel for the GARDINERS, and some unpleasant things were said, but the Surrogate promptly checked the counsel in each instance. The evidence was as follows:

IRA C. GARDINER, examined by Mr. REDFIELD, testified: I am the IRA C. GARDINER in whose house Capt. JOHN ALEXANDER died; he became ill on Sunday and died the following Friday; I had seen him once in the meantime, but I am unable to say on what day of the week it was.

Question—Who was present when you saw him? Answer—There was no one to my recollection, but possibly there might have been; it was in the forenoon, I think, for I had not been upstairs for months previously; on that occasion I went up because he sent for me; he sat up in his bed and I had a conversation with him of probably half an hour's duration; I had seen him on the Sunday before at the dining-room, when he complained of illness, but did not say he was dying; he said something to me about making presents to my wife, and on several occasions prior to this made use of similar expressions.

Q.—What did he say would be the nature of these presents? A.—He said he would give us enough to make us comfortable in our old age.

Q.—Did he refer to the size of the cargo, or to being divorced from his property? A.—I supposed he had some property, as a matter of course.

Q.—Have you any information, knowledge or belief as to the amount of property Capt. ALEXANDER had within two years of his death, other than the statement made to you by Capt. ALEXANDER that he was going to make you comfortable for the balance of your life? A.—I can only state what he had given me.

Q. repeated. A.—He told me he had some house property in New-Orleans, but he mentioned no other to me; I was under the impression that the property had not known he was in the habit of collecting coupons; I have a recollection that my son told me he collected coupons on $3,000 or $4,000.

Q.—Have you any other source of information, knowledge or grounds of belief that he possessed other property? A.—I supposed he had, because he always had plenty of money with him; the money I ever saw with him at any one time was $50 to $75; I believe, when he said he would make us comfortable for life, and thought he was in a position to do so, as I considered him a man of wrath; I was employed as night watchman in the Assay Department for two years prior to this at $6 and $2 50 per night, and I also was in receipt of a stipend of $200 a year from the Police Department; this terminated in October, 1869, and since then I have been doing comparatively little; I have a wife and five children, born in this City; my eldest child was born in New-Orleans, in the State of Louisiana.—New-Orleans, La., June, 15, 1867. JOHN

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called out in a loud voice, "Stand from under;" that at the time he so called, the plaintiff was seen by another party some eight or ten feet from the stable and approaching it. It was contended on behalf of defendants that plaintiff had ample notice to keep out of the way of the falling bale, and that the consequences, therefore, were the result of his own carelessness.

The jury found a verdict in favor of plaintiff for $2,000.

Allen & Johnson for plaintiff; Henry L. Clinton for defendant.

SUPREME COURT — CIRCUIT — PART II. — JUNE 15.

Before Judge Brady and a Jury.

THE LIABILITY OF HOTEL-KEEPERS.

Margaret S. Perkins vs. *Alfred B. Darling et al.* —The defendants were sued, as proprietors of the Fifth-avenue Hotel, for the value of certain jewelry alleged to have been stolen from plaintiff's room while she was a guest at the house in 1868. The complaint sets forth that while plaintiff was temporarily absent from her room, it was entered, and jewelry, amounting to between $300 and $600, was taken therefrom.

The defense was that as a matter of law the defendants were not liable. That in pursuance of a statute of this State they had posted notices in various ways throughout the establishment, that there was a safe in the office especially provided for the deposit, by guests or boarders, of all their valuables which they did not choose to carry on their persons; motion for a non-suit was denied by the Court, and the jury rendered a verdict for the plaintiff for $612.

DECISIONS.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—JUNE 15.

By Judge Cardozo.

Dolan vs. Tinque; Daly vs. Reilly; orders granted.

In the matter of the Harmony Fire and Marine Insurance Company; stay of proceedings for sixty days granted.

Drake vs. Merritt; motion denied.

In the matter of R. J. Roberts; injunction dissolved.

SUPERIOR COURT—SPECIAL TERM—JUNE 15.

By Judge Freedman.

Henderson vs. Jackson; motion denied without costs, and with leave to plaintiff to apply for an order vacating the order entered by the defendant directing the assessment of the damages by a Sheriff's jury, and in case plaintiff succeeds in this, she may renew original motion.

Moneypenny vs. Jackson; motion decided with costs.

Marshall vs. Dwyer; motion granted.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—JUNE 15.

By Judge Van Brunt.

Sturgis vs. Taylor; motion denied with costs.

ADMITTED TO THE BAR.

Mr. Irving W. Parker, late of the State of Maine, was yesterday admitted to the Bar at the General Term of the Supreme Court of this District, on motion of Mr. Amos G. Hull.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Held by Ingraham, P. J., and Barnard and Cardozo, JJ.—Court opens at 10½ A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
94—N. E. in re the Harlem Railroad Co.	51—Barry vs. Van Vorst.
36—Parker, Jr., vs. Brett.	52—Bonar vs. Shea.
37—Hartshorne vs. Taylor.	53—Pelatier vs. Walker.
40—Fraser vs. Freeman.	54—Mulhyan vs. Ayres.
41—Waverly Nat. Bank vs. Halsey.	55—Com. Bank of Kentucky vs. Varnum.
42—Miller vs. Halsey.	56—Stiles vs. Meyers.
43—Schultz vs. Baltzer.	57—Fields vs. Fields.
44—Forest Improvement Co. vs. Bushor.	58—Cons vs. Hudson River Railroad Co.
46—Osgood, Receiver of the Columbian Ins. Co. vs. Whitney.	59—In the matter of Morgan, &c.
47—De la Vergne vs. Conover.	60—In the matter of Mathew Morgan, &c.
48—Conklin vs. Brown.	61—In the matter of L. M. Rothschild.
49—Provost vs. Provoost.	62—In the matter of Sophia Robbins.
50—Merritt vs. Briggs.	

COMMON PLEAS—CIRCUIT.

Part II.—Held by Brady, J.—Calendar called at 10½ A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
1488—First Nat. Bk. of Cincinnati vs. Kelly.	1263—Arctic Life Ins. Co. vs. Austin.
1194—Cassier vs. Stouffer.	2898¼—Peterson vs. The Mayor.
272—Wright vs. Boose.	1466—Sicher vs. Shoyer.
656—Bassett, Jr., vs. Lederer.	1610—Jaeger vs. Kelly, Sheriff.
802—Gallup vs. Lederrer.	2252—Hays vs. The Mayor, &c.
446—Cook vs. Kelly, Sheriff, &c.	612¼—Wotherspoon vs. De Wolf.
342¼—Lindsley vs. European Pet. Co.	1926¼—Carter vs. Foss.
1394—Treat vs. McClellan	6682—Smith, Jr., vs. Goodall
102—Mencker vs. Lynch, Sheriff.	1538—Cady vs. Kelly, Sheriff
2220—Dalton vs. Gilbertson	1110—Redpath vs. Wells.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

No further calendar this week.

SUPERIOR COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Spencer, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
2027—Newbery vs. The Mayor, &c.	1013—Katz vs. O'Brien.
1879—Mayhew vs. McElware.	1717—Bogler vs. Pierce.
1659—Shaughnessy vs. Agart.	1585—Wilson vs. Wallace.
823—Albertis vs. Allerton.	2009—Lowerre vs. Chalmers.
234—Same vs. Same.	1639—Sadler vs. Torrey.
235—Same vs. Same.	1511—Schaefer vs. O'Brien.
1389—Hamberger vs. Jones.	1529—Bennett vs. Brinker.
	1573—Secor vs. Holdane.
	1055—Hook vs. Childs.

Part II.—Held by Barbour, C. J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
2496—Western Insurance Company of Buffalo vs. Gamble.	1712—Sturne vs. Great Western Ins. Co.
1976—Anfel vs. Apfel.	1284—Funke vs. New-York Mutual Ins. Co.
2156—Piriend vs. Walters.	1082—Hinch vs. Deverna.
1208—McDaniel vs. O'Brien.	1958—O'Sullivan vs. Cunningham.
2202—Brennan vs. Dodge.	476—De Wolf vs. Crandell.
2294—Davison vs. Parker.	2080—Heidenberg vs. O'Brien.
1742—Livingston vs. Lachmeyer.	
1350—Sturne vs. Williams.	

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—The Court has adjourned until Monday next.

Part II.—Held by Van Brunt, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
112—Kain vs. Kelly.	970—Same vs. Same.
466—Burrill vs. Hurry.	971—Green vs. Central R. R. Co.
573—Heiland vs. Steuben.	972—Sayer vs. Waugh.
874—Pandenhoistvs. Franklin.	973—Raynor vs. Curry.
873—Randall vs. Brandin.	974—Oaksmith vs. Saltenstell.
867—Ransom vs. Eliz.	976—Elbert vs. Ruisdorf.
968—Moncrief vs. Drein.	978—Frank vs. Rother.
965—Guernel vs. Ketcham.	

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Curtis, J.—Calendar called at 10½ A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
1437—Smith vs. Ferris.	
1425—Arnold vs. Metzler.	
1432—Ryan vs. Heath.	
1433—Crane vs. Heath.	
1435—Varlet vs. Broadway and Seventh-ave. R. R. Co.	
1440—Ferguson vs. Pickhardt.	
1823—Forster vs. Crotty.	

Part II.—Held by Alker, J.—Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
1842—Devlin vs. Bogert.	1353—Spear vs. Selling.
1334—Henshaw vs. Goodspeed.	1410—Fisk vs. Carrington.
1248—Williams vs. Wise.	1421—Bockhorn vs. Shaefer
1450—Shadwell vs. Gragg.	1434—Handibode vs. Wilson.
934—Randolph vs. Howland.	1435—Brelberton vs. Third-avenue R. R. Co.
1133—Storm vs. Cotter.	1437—Smith vs. Shiels.
1278—Easterling vs. Tryon.	16—Schweikert vs. McNamara.
1299—Grady vs. Smith.	

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—JUNE 15, 1870.

FIRST BOARD—10½ A. M.

$10,000 U. S. 6s, '81, C., bds.	119¾
10,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '64	111¾
1,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '65, new	113½
50,000 U. S. 5-20 C., '67, bds.	113⅞
1,000 do. c	113¾
10,000 U. S. 5s, 10-40 R.	108
205,000 U. S. 5s, 10-40 C.	108¼
1,000 do. c	108¾
80,000 Tenn. 5s, 6s, n.	62¼
15,000 do.	62¾
20,000 do. c	62½
10,000 do. c	62¼
1,000 do. c	62
1,000 N. C. 6s, n.	25
10,000 do.	24¾
7,000 La. 6s, Lev. B.	75¾
10,000 La. 8s, Lev. B.	93
25,000 Ark. 7s, Iss. to Lit. R. & Ft. Smith	76
2,000 Brook. 6s, W. L.	95
2,000 N. Y. C. 7s, '76	102¾
1,500 Mich. So., 2d M.	94¼
1,000 do.	94½
10,000 C., B. & Q. 8s	114
3,000 Union P., 1st M	97
1,000 Gt. W. 1st, '93	90
1,000 C. & N. W. Con.	92
1,000 Clev. & P. 4th	79
2,000 do.	78¾
1,000 Gt. W. 2d M.	81½
5,000 S. F. R. 1st	30½
5,000 Tol. P. & W., W. D. 1st	82¾
5,000 C., C. & I. C. 1st	93
3,000 Chic. & Mil. 1st	92¾
5 Fourth Nat. Bk.	118
5 Ninth Nat. Bank	118

SECOND BOARD—12½ AND 2½ P. M.

$2,000 U. S. 6's, '81, c.	119¾
26,000 do.	119¾
25,000 U. S. 6's, '81, r.	115
15,000 U. S. 5-20s, '65, c.	112¾
1,500 do. c	112¾
2,500 do. c	112¾
14,500 U. S. 5-20s, '64, c.	111¾
500 do. c	111¾
10,000 U. S. 5-20s, '65, r.	111¾
30,000 U. S. 5-20s, '65, c.	111¾
5,000 do. c	111¾
80,000 U. S. 5-20s, '67, c.	114
100,000 do.	113¾
130,000 do.	114
4,000 U. S. 10-40 5s, r.	108¾
20,000 U. S. 10-40 5s, c.	108¾
40,000 do.	108¾
2,000 Tenn. 5s, 6's, n.	62¾
10,000 do.	62¾
4,000 Tenn. 5s, 6's, n.	62¾
15,000 do.	62¾
10,000 do.	62¾
1,000 do.	62¾
3,000 Vir. 5s, 6's, r. c.	62¾
9,000 Louisiana 6's	77
10,000 La. 6's, lev. bds.	93
50,000 Mo. 5s, 6's, b. c.	93¾
10,000 do.	94
1,000 Jer. City W. L.	96
10,000 Qu. & Tol. 1st m	83½
4,000 Mich. S. & I. bds.	100
10,000 N. Y. C. & H. C	95¾
5,000 Chic. & G. E. In	40½
11,000 do.	40¾
5 W. U. Tel.	33¾
100 do.	33¾
200 do. bet. call	33¾
300 Pac. Mail S. S. Co.	45¾
200 At. M. S. S. Co.	45¾
150 Quicksilver...b.c.	8
200 U. S. Express	45¾
500 N. Y. C. & H. R.	100¼
200 do.	100¾
10000 N. Y. C. & H. Cert'fs	83
10000 do.	95½
10000 do.	95¾
500 Erie Railway	98¾
100 Lake S. & M. So.	99
700 do. bet. call	98¾
10 Panama R.	144¾
200 Illinois Cen.	141¾
500 Clev. & Pitts.	109¼
200 Chic. & N. W.	84¾
100 do.	85
300 Chic. & N. W. Pf.	90¼
100 N. J. Cen.	99¾
5 Chic. & R. I.	122
100 do.	122¼
200 Mil. & St. Paul	67¾
100 Mil. & St. P. Pf.	82¾
100 Tol. W. & West.	59¾
100 do.	59¾
200 do. c.	59¾
50 P., F. W. & C. pf.	97
85 do. bet. call	97
100 Chic. & Alton	140¾
100 Chic. & Miss.	40¾
100 Chic., B. & Q.	160
100 Del., L. & W.	111¾
100 Bos. H. & E.	5¾
50 do.	5¾
800 Col., C. & I. Cen.	21¾
100 do. b10	21¾
100 do.	21¾

WEDNESDAY, June 15—P. M.

The Gold Room and Public Funds were more animated than yesterday, and fluctuated ¼ per cent. higher. At noon, when the bids at the Treasury for $1,000,000 Gold to be sold for account of the Sinking Fund were opened, it was found that a leading Stock Exchange house had successfully bid a fraction above the market for the whole million, to wit, 113.90 per cent. Thereupon the Gold Room suddenly advanced from 112½ to 113@113⅛ per cent., and there was quite an excitement in the Room under the impression that a new *Bull* movement had been inaugurated to advance the market 1@2 per cent. or more. There was soon a corresponding firmness in the Public Funds, which had already been quoted higher abroad, and only required reasonable steadiness in Gold and Exchange to bring forward Foreign orders, especially for the 5-20s of 1862. The 1867s advanced to 114@114¼ per cent., and the closing quotation at 3 o'clock was about 114 per cent. as against 113⅞ per cent. last night.

In the Afternoon it was announced from Washington that the $95,000,000 Currency Bill of Mr. GARFIELD had passed the House with the amendment of Mr. JUDD, striking out the contraction of Greenbacks. At the same time, it is understood that the provision to pay off the $45,000,000 of 3 per cent. Greenback Certificates (now used as Bank reserves) is retained in the Bill, which provision becomes operative as the first $45,000,000 new National Bank Currency is taken up by the South and West. Beyond this is $50,000,000 additional new National Bank Currency, with no contraction of Greenbacks. On this clause the bill is construed by the Street this Afternoon as a positive expansion of $50,000,000 of Currency. But taken in connection with the previous provision, it seems very doubtful whether the practical affect of the measure will be in this direction next Fall and Winter, when the New-York Banks, for example, may feel the loss or withdrawal of $45,000,000 Legal Tender basis quite as sensibly as the Southern and Western Banks will feel the addition of $95,000,000 new Currency, but in the opposite direction.

The Washington telegrams tended to keep the Gold Room and the Public Funds firm at the advance of the forenoon, and they advanced the Railway speculation at the Stock Exchange. Money was easy at 4@5 per cent. The Foreign Exchanges steady at 109¾@109¾ per cent., the quotation governing most of the transactions on London being 109¾ per cent. net for 60-day Bills, and 110¼, less a brokerage, for short sight.

In the Southern State Bonds and the Railways there was a good business done, particularly in the after part of the day. The New-York and Western Roads, and also Reading, were generally higher by ¼@½@¾ per cent. than yesterday, and after the late Boards the following quotations were made, as compared with Tuesday night. The Cuba discussion in Washington helped advance the price of Gold:

	CLOSING QUOTATIONS, JUNE 15. Tuesday.	Wednesday.
United States 10-40s	108¼	108⅝
United States 5-20s of 1862	111⅞	112¼
United States 5-20s of 1867	113⅝	114
American Gold Coin	112⅞	113¼
Bills on London, 60 days	109¾	109¾
New Bonds of Tennessee	62¼	62½
New-York Central and Hudson	100½	100¾
N. Y. Cen. & H. Debt Certificates	95½	95¾
Reading Railroad	107½	107⅝
Chicago and Rock Island	122¼	122¼
North-western Common	84⅝	84⅝
North-western Preferred	90¾	90¾
Pacific Mail Company	44½	44⅝
St. Paul Preferred	82¼	82¼
St. Paul Common	67⅞	68¼
Lake Shore	98⅞	99¼
Ohio and Mississippi	40¾	40⅝
New-Jersey Central	109¾	109¾
Toledo and Wabash	59½	60⅜

The last bid at 112.90 per cent. being the highest, the whole million was awarded to

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, NEW-YORK, June 15, 1870.

General balance yesterday	$87,847,582 36
Gold receipts	670,780 00
Gold payments	51,398 10
Gold balance	77,010,997 17
Currency receipts	512,814 12
Currency payments	199,674 45
Gold balance	10,482,789 50
General balance	87,870,397 90
Customs	425,000 00

The following bids were made for the various Public Funds of the United States:

And for the following for the State Stocks:

Tenn. 6s, ex-coup.	62¾
Tenn. 6s, n. bds.	62
Va. 6s, ex-coup.	68½
Georgia 6s	96
Georgia 7s, n. bds.	95
N. Carolina 6s, n. bds.	25¾
N. Carolina 6s, n. bds.	24¾
S. Carolina 6s	92
S. Carolina 6s, n. bds.	82
Missouri 6s	93¾
La. 6s, Consols, Jo. Iss.	94
Louisiana 6s	76¾
La. 6s, Levee bds.	76¾
La. 8s, Levee bds.	93
Tennessee 6s	102
Rhode Island 6s	102
Alabama 5s	72
Ark. 7s, L. R. & F. S. Is.	74½
Ohio 6's, c.	'81. 102
Ohio 6's, c.	'86. 102

And the following for the Railway Mortgages:

N. Y. Cen. 6s, '83	92¼
N. Y. Cen. 6s, '87	91
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '76	102
Erie 1st Extended	90
Erie 7s, 2d Ind. '83	90
Erie 7s, 4th Ind. '80	83¼
Erie 7s, 5th Ind., '86	78
Hud. R. 7s, 2d S. F., '85	103
Harlem 1st	100¾
Mich. So. 7 per ct., 2d	94
M. & O. & N. I. S. F. 7 per ct.	99
Central Pacific Bds.	92¼
Union Pacific 1st Bds.	87
Ill. Cen. 7 per ct., '70	110
Ill. Cen. 8 per ct.	90¾
Alt. & T. H. 1st	102¼
Alt. & T. H. 2d Pref.	85
Alt. & T. H. 2d Inc.	76
Chi. & N. W. S. F.	99
Chi. & N. W. Ext. B.	87
Chi. & N. W. 1st	96¾
Cons. 7 per ct. Conv.	108
Han. & St. Jo. 7s, C.	108
Lack. & W. Bds.	98
Del., L. & West 1st	98
Del., L. & West. 2d	97¼
Tol. & Wab. 1st Ext.	93
Tol. & Wab. 2d	83½
Tol. & Wab. Equip. B	72
Tol., W. & W. C. C. S. F.	82¼
St. Paul 1st, '93	89¾
St. Paul 2d, '83	81¼
Ill. & So. Iowa 1st	76

And the following for the City Bank Stocks and Miscellaneous Shares:

New-York	142
Manhattan	150
Merchants'	125
Mechanics'	139
Union	126
America	110
Phenix	84
Tradesmen's	97
Mechanics' & Traders'	125
National	117
Seventh Ward	100
State of New-York	100
Commerce	127
Mech. Banking Ass.	124
Ocean	90
Mercantile	125
American Exchange	112¾
Chatham	170
Bank of N. America	107
Hanover	108¾
Irving	116
Metropolitan	142
East River	118
Nassau	104
Shoe and Leather	105
Corn Exchange	129
St. Nicholas	118
Importers' & Traders'	158
Park	169
Manuf. & Merchants'	96¾
Central National	112
Fourth National	109¼
Ninth National	113
Tenth National	135
Oriental	89
Gold Exchange Bank	104
Bank of Republic	104
Del. & Hudson Canal	123¾
Pennsylvania Coal	221
Con. Coal of Maryland	39
Cumb. Coal & Iron	39
Canton Co., Baltimore	67¼
Western Union Tel.	83¾
Quicksilver Mining	7¼
Quicksilver Preferred	12
Maripesa Mining	7
Maripesa Preferred	16
Atlantic Mail	33¾
Boston Water Power	16¾
Adams Express	63¾
Wells-Fargo Express	16
Wells-Fargo Exs. crip	71¾
American Express	46¾
United States Ex.	46
Merchants' Union Ex.	15
Pacific Mail	44¾

PHILADELPHIA STOCKS—JUNE 15.

Telegraphed to Messrs. B. D. Randolph & Co.

	Bid.	Asked.
City 6s, Old	98½	99¾
City 6s, New	100½	100¾
Camden and Amboy	119¾	120
Pennsylvania Central	115	115¼
Reading	107½	107⅝
Lehigh Valley	58	58
Catawissa Preferred	37¾	37⅞
Philadelphia and Erie	29½	29¾
Northern Central	45	45⅛
Lehigh Navigation	35¼	35½
Lehigh Gold Loan	89¾	89¾

The Dubuque and Sioux City Railway Company will pay a Half Yearly Dividend of *three and a half per cent.* on their Common Stock, at No. 12 Pine-street, July 15.

The Half Yearly Dividend of the Harlem Road of *four per cent.* is payable July 1, free of tax.

The old Brooklyn Fire Insurance Company have declared their eighteenth Half Yearly Dividend. The rate is *ten per cent.*, payable July 1.

The National Trust Company have declared a Half Yearly Dividend of *four per cent.*, payable July 1, free of tax.

Mr. H. H. KIMPTON, of Nassau-street, will pay the July Interest on the State Loans of South Carolina. See notice in advertising columns.

The New-York and New-Haven Company will pay a Half Yearly Dividend of *five per cent.* on their full Stock, and $1 25 per share on their Scrip Stock, payable July 1, free of tax.

Mr. MASON THOMSON, who has for several years past (since the decease of the late M. M. FREEMAN,) been the President of the Mechanics' Banking Association, has resigned his place, to the regret of his colleagues of his Board of Directors. He is succeeded by Mr. FRANKLIN CHANDLER, late Cashier of the Bank.

Foreign Stocks in London.

From the London Economist.

The great strength of the return of the Bank of England certainly seems to indicate that the prospect of an increased dearness in money is not near. The liabilities of the banking department are:

Public deposits	16,024,000
Private deposits	378,000
Seven-day and other bills	1,951,000
Total	£28,951,000

—against a reserve in notes and coin of £13,661,792. The bullion, too, is £20,406,000 in both departments, no less than three millions more than there was in the bank last year.

But at the same time we must remember that the cause, of which we have often spoken, and of which the certain tendency is to raise the rate of interest, still continues. The taste for foreign securities is greatly on the increase. First, look at the following comparative table of the prices of the principal foreign stocks a year ago and of their prices at the present time:

INCREASE IN TWELVE MONTHS. 1869.	May 20— 1870.	Increase. Per cent.
American 5-20s, 1862	79¾	19 12¾
Argentine 6 per cent., 1868	93	94 1
Brazilian 5 per cent., 1883	80¾	91¾ 13¾
Chilian 6 per cent., 1877	96¾	101¾ 5
Italian 5 per cent., 1861	53¾	57¾ 4
Italian Tobacco Loan	85	91¾ 6½
Russian Anglo-Dutch, 1862	92	93¾ 1
Spanish 3 per cent., 1867	26¾	31¾ 18½
Turkish 6 per cent., 1865	43¾	50¾ 16

The nature of the effect of this growing taste for foreign investments on the money market is very clear. We are now much more willing than we were to send our capital abroad, and therefore the money market is much more easily drained than it used to be. But the amount of drained that is very difficult, indeed, quite impossible, to trace. We do not know by these tables how much new English money has come to the various countries whose stocks are quoted. We know only that those stocks have risen a great deal in value, and a very small amount of actual dealing is often sufficient to effect this. Many of dealing is often sufficient to effect this. Many of the stocks are very delicate; a very slight increase in the demand sends up, and a very slight decrease in the demand reduces the price much more than might be at first imagined. The increased appetite for foreign stocks may not, therefore, as yet, have taken much English capital abroad, though of course it may have taken some, and that is its tendency to do so. The higher foreign stocks are in this market the more likely foreigners are to send them here, and in proportion to the new foreign bonds and shares brought new English money sent abroad. Though, therefore, this cause is in operation and is tending to augment the value of money, we must bear in mind that it is a cause whose magnitude we cannot measure, and of which we must carefully watch the operation before we can know how much or how little effect on the value of money we ought at present to expect it to produce.

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COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, June 15, 1870.

The receipts of the principal kinds of produce since our last have been as follows:

Ashes, pks.	28	Lead, pigs	806
Beer, bbls.	2	Liquorice, bbls.	184
Cotton, bls.	1,603	Resin, bbls.	1,882
Coffee, bags	227	Pork, bbls.	15
Dried Fruit, pks.	31	Beef, pkgs.	39
Eggs, bbls.	1,121	Cut-meats, pks.	44
Flour, bbls.	12,220	Lard, tcs.	40
Wheat, bushels	168,800	Butter, pks.	2,021
Corn, bushels	52,740	Cheese, boxes	6,460
Oats, bushels	30,105	Tallow, pks.	40
Rye, bushels	9,080	Rice, pkgs.	415
Malt, bushels	99	Tobacco, hhds.	223
Beans, bushels	297	Tobacco, bxs. and cs.	782
Hides, No.	4,648	Whisky, bbls.	634
Hides, bdls.		Wool, bales	1,066
Leather, sides			

The export clearances since our last, reported at the Merchants' Exchange, Pine-street, have been as follows:

By the steam-ship *Calabria*, for Liverpool—4 bales Yarn, 823 bales Cotton, 3,196 boxes Cheese, 15,294 bushels Wheat.

By the steamer *Nebraska*, for Liverpool—818 boxes Cheese, 59 bales Furs, 1 case Sewing-machines, 10,220 bushels Wheat, 18 barrels Bacon, 13 tierces Beef, 47 casks Ashes, 2,277 bales Cotton.

By the steam-ship *Dacian*, for Glasgow—955 bbls. Resin, 757 bbls. Flour, 252 boxes Cheese, 120 pks. Butter, 22,000 bushels Wheat.

By the steam-ship *Minnehaha*, for Londonderry—2,600 bbls. Flour, 26,276 bushels Wheat.

By the brig *Mathilda*, for Gibraltar—3,000 Staves.

By the brig *Fortuna*, for Danzig—2,970 bbls. Refined Petroleum.

ASHES—Have been selling in a jobbing way at $6 50@$7 for Pots; and $7 75 for Pearls, $ 100 lbs.

BEESWAX—Has been fairly active and quoted firm; sales here, 6,000 bags Santos, by the *Steadfast*, 537 bags Rio, by the *Dorsetia*, 402 bags Maracaibo, by the *Adelaide* and *Iroquois*, and 1,767 mats Singapore, by the *Glenmore*, *M. Greene*, and at Baltimore, 600 bags Rio, by the *Red Wing*, all on private terms.

BREADSTUFFS—Flour has been quoted firm on a moderate trade. Sales have been reported since our last of 57½ bbls. Flour and 23,609 bushels Wheat for Liverpool, 757 bbls. Flour and 25,270 bushels Wheat for Londonderry, and 1,306 bbls. Flour for Gibraltar.

HAY—Bale Hay has been in fair request at 75c.@80c. for shipping, and 90c.@$1 10 for local use, $ 100 lbs. Loose has been in rather more demand at 50c. @$1 05, as extremes, for Short and Long, $ 100 lbs.

HOPS—Continue in request at full prices. We quote within a range of 25c.@27c. for crop of 1869 $ lb.

LIME—In Albany, according to the *Argus*, "though there were some large lots of Lumber disposed of last week, the general trade in this district was only fair. But this week there have not been many buyers in attendance. The receipts of the week have been large—the largest of any week this season—and the aggregate for the season, so far, now about 2,000,000 feet in excess of the entire receipts to a corresponding period last year. The prospective receipts, by the figures of the arrivals at Buffalo and Oswego, given below, may be taken as an index, are large. Spruce and Hemlock continue in active demand and in good supply. Otherwise the assortment is good of dry Lumber. Prices show no change of moment. The receipts at Albany by the Erie and Champlain Canals, from the opening of navigation to June 15, were:

	Boards and Scantling. ft.	Shingles. M.	Staves, lbs.
1870	74,056,000	1,145	$10,000
1869	71,804,000	7,524	765,000

Vessels are in good supply. We quote freights as follows:

To New-York, $ M.	$1 50
To Bridgeport and New-Haven	2 00
To Norwich and Middletown	2 50
To Hartford and Providence	3 00
To Boston, coal	4 00
To Boston, hard wood	5 00

MOLASSES—The demand has been limited to-day, and only some job lots have been reported sold within our range. We quote: New Crop Porto Rico at 40c.@ 70c., and New Crop Cuba, 23c.@45c.; New Crop English Islands, 30c.@60c.; New-Orleans, 70c.@95c., $ gallon.

	Old Crop.	New Crop.
Cuba, Centrifugal and Mixed	22c.@24c.	28c.@29c.
Cuba, Clayed	24c.@25c.	37c.@39c.
Cuba, Muscovado, refining grades	25c.@30c.	37c.@42c.
Cuba, Muscovado, grocery grades	—@—	40c.@45c.
Cuba, Muscovado, strictly prime	—@—	40c.@70c.
Porto Rico	—@—	30c.@60c.
English Islands	—@—	70c.@95c.
New-Orleans	—@—	

PETROLEUM—There have been no important movements reported in Crude, which has been quoted 14¼c. bid and 14¾c. asked, in bulk; and 18¼c. bid for 140 gravity, 18¾c. asked for do. in shipping orders, and 18¾c. asked for do. in single packages. Receipts of Crude here early delivery, $ gallon. Also at Philadelphia, 740 bbls. Refined has been quiet, but rather more freely, as prices were on a moderate scale at about previous figures. For Liverpool, there were taken 40,000 bushels Wheat and Peas at 5d., by sail, and 5¼d. by steam; 1,400 bbls. Flour on private terms, and 40,000 bushels Wheat, by steam, at 6d. $ bbl. For London, 1,000 bbls. Flour, 20,000 bushels Wheat, and 22,500 bushels Peas at 5¾d. $ bushel; and 22,500 bushels Wheat on private terms. For Havre, a ship of 1,700 tons capacity, another of 1,500 tons, and 1,250 tons capacity, another of 1,500 tons, and 1,250 tons, and 1,250 bbls. Flour, chiefly at 35c.@37c., and 31,000 bbls. Flour, chiefly at 35c.@37c., and 31,000 bbls. Flour, chiefly at 35c.@37c., and 31,000

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

EUROPE.

A sermon will be delivered in Westminster Abbey next Sunday, by Dean STANLEY, on the death of CHARLES DICKENS. The grave of the novelist is entirely covered with flowers placed there by visitors....The Irish Land bill was further disoussed in the House of Lords, but no action was reached....Yesterday was the first day of the Ascot races....The directors of the Monarch Insurance Company in London, which recently failed, have been committed for fraud....The drouth in France has caused an alarming rise in the price of breadstuffs....The Princes of ORLEANS have purchased the recently discovered remains of a Roman amphitheater in Paris. The Imperial Government refused to buy it....A number of diplomatic appointments are officially announced in the *Officiel Journal*. The decree summoning accused conspirators before the High Court of Justice is also published officially....The sentence of the assassins of the Count D'ARENBURG has been modified to immediate banishment to Siberia....The elections in the Danubian Principalities have generally resulted unfavorably to the Muscovite Party....The elections in Belgium have not changed the political aspect of the Chamber.... The meeting at Ems between the Czar and the King of Prussia is said to have for its object the marriage of Prince VLADIMIR and a Prussian Princess.

JAPAN AND CHINA.

Advices from Yokohama to May 12, and Hong Kong to May 22, were received by the steam-ship *Great Republic* at San Francisco on the 14th inst. A violent earthquake had been experienced in Japan and several villages destroyed. The volcano of Asamayama, in the Island of Niphon, was in a state of violent eruption, the first time for centuries, accompanied by violent shocks of earthquake, which destroyed many villages and spread consternation among the inhabitants of the province. An active volcano was seen at sea two hundred miles from Yokohama, causing the sea about it to boil. Portions of the crater were visible above water. The officers of the United States squadron on the Asiatic station are about to erect a monument to the memory of the victims of the *Oneida* disaster. A school for native youths has been established in Japan with the permission of the Government. They are taught foreign languages and naval and military tactics. The *Great Republic* brought 1,300 Chinese and a large cargo, including 7,539 packages of tea.

CONGRESS.

In the Senate, yesterday, Mr. FENTON presented memorials in favor of the importation of pig-lead free of duty; against the passage of the section in the new Tariff bill relating to oils; and against the repeal of the Registry laws. The bill providing for the quarterly pay of pensions, and making the fees of pension agents uniform, was passed. Among several bills reported from committees was that authorizing the establishment of an ocean mail steam-ship service between this country and Australia. The Franking bill was at last reached, debated to the close of the afternoon session and during the evening, but not acted upon. At the evening session the House bill authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Niagara, at Buffalo, was amended and passed. The Senate adjourned at 10 o'clock.

In the House, the bill to relieve coal from all taxation was reported from a majority of the Committee of Ways and Means; and a substitute bill providing for the free admittance of coal imported on and after the 1st of September next from the minority. After debate, the bills were recommitted. The currency question was voted upon. Mr. GARFIELD'S substitute was finally agreed to, after the provision retiring $50,000,000 of greenbacks had been stricken out, and the Senate bill, as thus amended, was passed by a vote of 98 to 81. The resolution of the Committee on Foreign Affairs favoring belligerent rights to Cuba was taken up at 2:40 o'clock, and a long and exciting discussion was entered into. Finally, the debate was closed. Several unsuccessful attempts were made to postpone action, when Mr. BINGHAM succeeded in getting a substitute before the House for a portion of the minority bill, instructing the President to remonstrate against the barbarous manner in which the war in Cuba has been conducted, and if necessary to solicit the co-operation of other Governments in efforts to secure from both contending parties an observance of the laws of war recognized by all civilized nations. This so altered the question that no vote was, after all, taken, and at 7 o'clock an adjournment was agreed to.

GENERAL.

Gov. HOLDEN, of North Carolina, has ordered the formation of a regiment for active service, to be composed of whites, if they enlist, and if not, of negroes. He has also ordered the enrollment of the militia, and the setting apart of minute-men in each regiment for a reserve.

The Postmaster-General has accepted the offer of the agents of the Cunard and Inman steam-ship lines to carry the mails between the United States and Great Britain for the amount of the sea postage on the mails conveyed. The Cunard steamers will convey the mails to the United Kingdom, leaving on Thursday, and the Inman steamers will take the Irish mail only to Queenstown, leaving on Saturday.

A fire at Platteville, Wis., on Sunday, destroyed the Gates House, the bank building of ISAAC HODGES and MCARTHUR'S store and residence. The loss is $15,000.

The influential citizens of Baltimore, on Tuesday, formed a racing club, to be known as the Maryland Jockey Club.

Dispatches have been received at the State Department, from Mr. MOTLEY, showing that the British, French and Prussians are in accord with the Government of the United States in the desire to protect the Christians in Japan. The opposition to them is said to be on political and not religious grounds.

The Republicans of the Terra Haute (Ind.) District have nominated Hon. MOSES F. DUNN, of Lawrence County, for Congress. The Democrats of the Thirteenth District will renominate Mr. VOORHEES, there being no opposition.

An Ottawa (Ontario) dispatch of yesterday says: "Hon. A. CAMPBELL proceeds today on a mission to England to lay the whole Fenian business before the Imperial authorities."

A dispatch from Concord, N. H., says that negotiations are pending for a settlement of the difficulties and questions of law between the new Board of Concord Railroad Directors and the management of the steamers.

The steam-ship *St. Laurent*, from Havre and from Brest June 4, reached this port yesterday. Capt. LEMARIE has our thanks for valued additions to our foreign files.

GEORGE S. BROMLEY, who claims to be United States Deputy Marshal, living at Nashville, Tenn., was arrested last evening at the corner of Broadway and Duane-street by one of Col. WHITELEY'S detectives, and $3,000 in counterfeit money found on his person. He will be arraigned before a United States Commissioner.

There will be fire-works and music at most of the public squares on the 4th of July.

Mr. NATHANIEL JARVIS, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, was, yesterday, appointed by the Mayor a member of the Board of Education, in place of Mr. RICHARD L. LARREMORE, resigned.

The Republican State Convention of Maine yesterday nominated Hon. SIDNEY PERHAM as candidate for Governor. There were 1,383 delegates present.

The citizens of the Nineteenth Ward held a meeting last evening, passed resolutions and appointed a Committee to wait on the Commissioners of Public Docks in relation to the construction of public docks on the water-front of the ward.

The graduating class at West Point, fifty-seven in number, yesterday received their diplomas, and were addressed by the Secretary of War.

The San Francisco courts have refused to grant an injunction against the Mercantile Library Gift Concert.

The ship *Alaska*, from Shanghai for Victoria, Vancouver's Island, is out over 150 days, and is given up for lost.

Yesterday RED CLOUD and his party after receiving visitors in the morning at their hotel, drove through the Park, and in the evening went to the Grand Opera House. Today they will meet the citizens at the Cooper Institute at 12 o'clock, and in the evening leave the City for the West.

Mr. R. L. LARREMORE, President of the Board of Education, yesterday tendered his resignation as a member of the Board. It was accepted, and Mr. BERNARD SMYTH was elected President from the 1st of July next. A prize of one gold and one silver medal were offered by Mrs. ANNA OTTENDORFER to the pupils of the Female Normal School for proficiency in the German language.

In the Second Congressional District of Pennsylvania (Philadelphia,) the Republicans, yesterday, made two nominations, there being a division in the Convention. Mr. O'NEILL was renominated by one wing and JOHN V. CREELEY. In the Third District LEONARD MEYER renominated. Mr. KELLEY was renominated in the Fourth District.

War or No War?

The opinion of most reflective persons will probably be that the continuation of the debate on Cuban affairs, yesterday, was not quite worthy of the subject. Mr. WOOD evidently took his cue from Mr. BANKS—and a weak dilution of Mr. BANKS is not a preparation which we can honestly recommend. All the arguments adduced by Mr. WOOD for the recognition of Cuba might have been used by European Powers in favor of the recognition of the Southern States during the late rebellion. They *were* used sometimes, and we invariably resented them, and most justly, as an attempt to commit an outrage upon the Union under the pretext of international law. We should have declared war against any nation in the world which ventured to act towards us in the spirit of the advice now given to Congress by Gen. BANKS and Mr. WOOD. Mr. WOOD talks of the "Government" set up by the insurgents in Cuba. Perhaps he will explain where the seat of that Government is, and how he would contrive to treat with it. The suggestion that we should concede belligerent rights to the insurgents, as a token of gratitude for the foreign succor afforded to us in our own revolutionary war, seems too ludicrous to deserve serious discussion. The arguments of Mr. BANKS and Mr. WOOD are in reality as thorough a vindication of the policy pursued by the President as any friend of the Administration could desire.

Mr. BUTLER'S speech was far better worthy of the occasion. He summed up the sentiments entertained by most people when he said, "were he to speak according to his sympathies and his wishes from the heart, and not from the judgment, he would say—'let us have Cuba at any expense.'" But as a responsible public man, he could not give that advice. He also did justice to the Secretary of State, and extorted from Mr. FITCH a retraction of the slander he had foolishly uttered the previous day against Mr. SIDNEY WEBSTER. It is not enough for Mr. FITCH to pretend that he "did not see" the correspondence between Mr. WEBSTER and the Spanish Minister. A man who presumes to discuss public affairs should read the public newspapers, and in them Mr. FITCH might have seen that Mr. WEBSTER has not received any money whatever from the Spanish Government, except for strictly professional services, having no reference whatever, direct or indirect, to Cuban affairs. Mr. FITCH does not add to his own reputation by carelessly aspersing the reputations of honorable men. Above all, when assailing private character, he ought at least to take some pains to inquire into his facts.

It is very easy to make a speech on what we may assume to be the popular side of the Cuban question. But are we ready to go to war for the sake of assisting the Cuban insurgents? That we ought to be ready to go to war at any time, and with any Power, for the proper defense of our citizens abroad, is a principle which we have been the first to assert. We cannot allow our countrymen to be shot down in the streets of a foreign city without a murmur. Americans, it is said, have been assassinated in Havana for the crime of wearing a blue coat round their necks. The next time any occurrence of that kind takes place, it will be the duty of our Government to warn Spain that her day of reckoning has come. We shall be obliged to have an understanding with her which may be very inconvenient to her Government, but which will be absolutely decisive of the question whether or not an American citizen is to find his flag any protection to him when he happens to be living under the sway of a foreign Power. Wherever our countrymen may be placed, they have a right to believe that the arm of the Government is strong enough to reach them. If they violate the laws of foreign countries, everybody knows that they must take the consequences. But there is no proof—no positive assertion even—that the Americans shot in Havana and other parts of Cuba transgressed any law whatever. There must be an end to outrages of this kind. The American is always proud of his nationality, and his Government ought never to desert him. Spain cannot look to this matter a day too soon. The next time her representatives in Cuba shoot down American citizens in the streets, she is likely to receive a lesson of that kind which only needs to be given once.

Mr. BINGHAM'S proposal yesterday is not open to any serious objections, except from the friends of the Cuban insurgents. They may well be puzzled to see how Mr. BINGHAM'S amendment can possibly further the cause they have at heart. If all the Governments in the world united to protest against the method in which Spain is carrying on the war, the insurgents would not be substantially benefited. They want the war stopped altogether, by Spain surrendering the island. Spain says she will never surrender it. Gen. BANKS practically advises us to compel her to relinquish her grasp. It is as well to speak plainly on these matters—and Gen. BANKS' advice simply means that we should declare war against Spain, or give her cause to declare war against us. Is that what the people of this country desire? Do we mean—are we ready—to go to war? If the answer to both questions is "yes," we can doubtless have a war in less than a fortnight. There are a few questions connected with commerce involved in such an issue, which Gen. BANKS evades; but perhaps the nation at large will be apt to count the cost of an enterprise which no consideration of honor obliges us to undertake. We ought to face the whole difficulty in a straightforward manner. It is all very well for Gen. BANKS to make a cheap bid for popularity by declaring against Gen. GRANT and his Cuban policy. Why does not Mr. BANKS speak out? Does he, in so many words, ask the country to go to war with Spain? If so, we shall know exactly where he stands. At present he is simply fencing with a great question, and carefully evading responsibility for a course which he covertly suggests, but dare not openly advise. War or no war? That is the point for the people to decide. When they pronounce in a final and peremptory manner for *war*, the President would probably be compelled, sooner or later, to defer to their wishes, and therefore it is useless to abuse him for not doing that which is apparently objectionable to the country. Men in office are obliged to act like rational and responsible beings, and not like the impulsive orators and thoughtless fire-eaters of public life.

The Parasites Once More.

There is no difference of opinion among Republicans as to the causes which have contributed most largely to the demoralization and defeat of the party in this City. The effect of corrupt and worthless management upon the spirit and strength of the party is too palpable to be denied. Every man with his eyes open sees that its interests are in the hands of knaves and tricksters, who regard their influence as a marketable commodity, and are indifferent as to the means by which they attain their ends. Who these persons are, with what tools they work, and for what purposes they exert themselves, are questions to which every new event supplies a sufficient answer. Whether in the primary meetings, in the committee-room or the convention, their general character and schemes are always the same. Of honest, disinterested service they have no conception. In the potency of a healthy public spirit and the value of reputable agencies for its development, they have no faith. Politics are with them a trade; partisanship is to them a pretext, under cover of which they perpetrate all manner of rascality; the party zeal they always propose to invoke is a mine of gullibility which they hope to work periodically for their own peculiar advantage. Such are the people who have for years contrived to control the Republican body here, and whose expulsion from every post of honor or trust is an indispensable preliminary to reorganization and success. Until they be swept aside, nothing can be done.

But "who will bell the cat?" When, how, and by whom is the work of purification and punishment to be performed? We must not suppose that the parasites and pretenders who now manage matters will quietly acquiesce in the demand for their decapitation. No sense of shame will impel them to retire—no twinge of conscience will induce them to make room for better men. They know the strength of their position, and will battle strenuously for its retention. They hold the keys, and will keep them if they can. The nature of the trading politician of the New-York breed is a stranger to decency. And as the class of whom we speak are for the time possessed of power, we may be sure that they will use it without stint or scruple. A regiment of small office-holders, who look to them as masters, will rally to their support. The hungry crowd who are on the look-out for office, and who have been accustomed to believe in the influence of these managers in high places, may be expected—for a time at least—to do their bidding. The hired "roughs" who are serviceable in an emergency will earn their pay with the desperation which arises from a knowledge that their further employment is in jeopardy. As matters stand, influences like these should not be excluded from the account. They will be more or less effective in ward meetings, in packing primaries, in the selection of delegates, and in the contest which will be waged anew in the State Convention. It were folly to despise them under the most favorable circumstances. To underrate them now, amidst the prevalence of a mortifying apathy on the part of respectable Republicans, would be to insure a continuance of the present state of things.

Party reconstruction will not begin in earnest until the integrity which exists in the party ranks makes its real strength felt. If those who are Republicans from conviction, and who are disgusted with the want of principle which is manifest in the party management, do not choose to exert themselves for its purification, the task may be given up as hopeless. There must be energetic, combined, and well-considered effort, or the schemers who afflict the party will drive it to death. Mere protests will not suffice. Action alone will be of avail. What shall be the initiatory step it is not for us to say. But in some formal manner, the honest members of the party must reveal and utilize their power. They must attend ward meetings, organize committees, and in due time elect delegates to the Convention. Otherwise, the creatures who cling to the party that they may fatten upon it, will once more have everything their own way. There can be no appeal to the Republican sentiment of the State, no call for the interference by which the sturdy men from the country should put down the unprincipled men in the City, without an organized opposition; and there can be no organized opposition unless those who now loudly deplore the condition to which the party has been reduced put their heads together, and do something effective toward its reconstruction.

For yet another purpose an organized assault upon the usurpers who direct the affairs of the party in this City is essential. Their usurpation would not last a month if the National Administration made known its appreciation of their character and aims, and its determination to listen no more to their representations in regard to patronage. Let it be generally understood that their remonstrances and recommendations are alike unheeded, and from that moment their roll of followers will diminish. Let it be made known that they no longer enjoy free access to the inner offices of the Departments, and no influence with the President or Secretaries, and their hold upon the noisiest element in ward meetings and committees will be loosened. The Administration owes this as a duty to the Republican Party and to this State, and we will not believe that Gen. GRANT will shrink from its performance whenever he fully comprehends the position. But how is the President to judge of the right to speak authoritatively which those who approach him upon this subject should possess? However weighty their individual influence, it is quite certain that the force of their opposition and the value of their support will be greatly enhanced if they speak with an authority derived from Republican organization. Its functions will begin at this point, and upon their honest exercise very much more depends than most people seem willing to believe.

Free Coal.

The Pennsylvania Press was very naturally disturbed by the recent emphatic vote of the House, instructing its Committee of Ways and Means to report a bill repealing the import duty on foreign coal, and argues against it on somewhat curious and illogical grounds. It is asserted, and very truly, that there are no foreign anthracite coals to come into competition with those of Pennsylvania, and that the bituminous and semi-bituminous coals of Nova Scotia are the only kinds to be benefited. Our neighbors pretend that the anthracite interest is very indifferent in the matter, but that the Maryland and Western bituminous coal-dealers are the persons chiefly to be affected by the proposed repeal. They argue, however, that American bituminous coal can always control American markets, for the reason that the deposits are near the consumers, and that the cost of transportation, which is one of the largest items in the market price of coal, is largely in their favor.

Such a line of argument naturally suggests the inquiry why our Pennsylvania neighbors are so active in their opposition to the proposed repeal of the duty on foreign coal? If it is a matter of such entire indifference to them as they pretend, why not consent to make all foreign coals free? The truth is that the repeal of the duty on Nova Scotia coal would tend to break down the absolute monopoly which the Pennsylvania dealers now possess, by giving us a substitute which could be used when prices become extortionate, as they have been on several occasions within the past five years. What is sought to be accomplished by the proposed repeal is the protection of the great body of consumers against the outrageous prices which have hitherto prevailed, ostensibly as a result of the combined strikes of the miners, but really for the exclusive benefit of the proprietors. On those occasions the price of anthracite was raised as high as fifteen and twenty dollars a ton in some localities, and yet the people were absolutely powerless, because no other source of supply was open to them.

Under the present duty, and with domestic coal at moderate prices, the Nova Scotia article cannot compete to any great extent in our markets, and, consequently, no large supply is ever mined, and kept on hand; but if it were free, the case would be very different. It would be able to compete with our own coal in New-England, and in many portions of New-York, and large reserves would be held in store, which, in case of an extortionate rise in anthracite, could be used as a substitute. In this way the price could be kept within reasonable limits. At fair prices, the great body of consumers prefer to use anthracite, chiefly on account of its greater cleanliness and durability; but when it costs much more than five dollars a ton in gold, the Nova Scotia coal will take its place to an extent which will materially check its consumption, and thereby tend to break down the price.

But the anthracite interests are not the only ones to be affected by the proposed repeal of the coal duty. There is still another great monopoly which will be seriously assailed. The Pennsylvania Central and Baltimore and Ohio Railroads now exact and receive four dollars a ton freight on the bituminous gas coals of Western Pennsylvania and Western Virginia to Baltimore and Philadelphia. About six hundred thousand tons of that coal were shipped to the North from those two cities in 1869, a large proportion of which could not have commanded the market but for the protective duty on the foreign article. This discrimination against the consumer would have been endurable, although unjust, provided the increased price went to the miners; but the fact is that it has gone into the coffers of the two great railroad companies above-named.

The effect of the present duty has been to reduce the importation of cheap coal from Nova Scotia about sixty-six per cent. Of course this is a direct charge upon the manufacturing interests of New-England, as well as upon the domestic consumption.

Coal is a necessary element in the production of power, and its cost is therefore a legitimate item to be considered in estimating the cost of the manufactured article. The coal duty thus becomes a tax on manufactures to the extent to which it raises the cost both of fuel and gas; and when we reflect that the quantity of coal thus affected in price in New-England is between three and four millions of tons a year, we can form some idea of the importance of the proposed repeal to the manufacturing interests of that section. We can also appreciate the injustice of imposing such a tax for the benefit of two great railroad monopolies. In this aspect the question is one of national significance, and affords an additional argument in favor of the repeal of the coal duty.

The great coal combinations of Pennsylvania have borne heavily upon the consumers in the way we have pointed out, and every measure which tends, even remotely, to weaken their power to control prices beyond a legitimate point, ought to be adopted. The movement in favor of free coal, now pending in Congress, is the result of a strong feeling of popular exasperation at what was generally conceived to be gross extortion upon the part of the coal monopolists, on several occasions within the past five years. The House Committee of Ways and Means sought to evade their instructions, by making a majority report repealing not only the duty, but all the taxation on coal and coal companies, thus giving the monopolists almost as great an advantage as they had before. We are glad to see that the attempt was promptly rebuked by the House by recommitting the report to the Committee.

Portable Property.

There are many curious circumstances in connection with the accumulation of savings by different nations in the world. One is that the industrial classes everywhere are giving up the practice of hoarding—the old stocking has become somewhat out of date—and are using their funds in a way to secure some return. The French peasant buys into the Rentes; satisfied with their low price and the interest which they bring. The German will buy American bonds, which he knows to be secure, and which yield a handsome profit on his investment. The American will buy a homestead. The Englishman will go into co-operation, or a land society, or purchase Consols. And the Italian adds more land to his farm or vineyard, when he can spare the means for so doing. This change is due to more than one cause. On the one hand, robberies of "portable property" have become bolder and more ingenious with the growth of other social developments. The uneasy feeling which always attends the care of concealed wealth must necessarily increase in an age in which burglary becomes a science. On the other hand, the spread of education and intelligence is favorable to the speculative spirit, and encourages the desire of every man to get as much interest for his money as he conveniently can.

But while this fondness for secret hoarding is apparently dying out among one class, it is thought to be much increased in another. The wealthy of some countries are displaying a growing tendency to conceal their property, having first turned it into some immediately realizable shape. This arises partly from the heavy taxation of real property by some Governments. For example, land in Italy, as a mere investment, scarcely pays; the rents from it are taxed twenty-five per cent. Taxation is also very high in Spain and elsewhere. In addition to this, the fear of political change, or a recurrence of social disorders, induces this class to place their wealth out of the reach of ordinary political vicissitudes. By this means, also, they become independent of their own Governments. There was a time when Kings and Emperors could control their absent subjects by means of the property which they had left behind. But this is no longer possible where those subjects have invested fortunes in foreign securities, free at once from the danger of confiscation or the burden of heavy taxes. Thus, international intercourse gives security and freedom to wealth, which formerly was subject to constant restraints and dangers.

It is stated that diamonds have risen in value in Europe seven or eight per cent. within a few months. As the London *Spectator* remarks, in an interesting article on this subject, there is little to account for this increase except upon one hypothesis. The market is not liable to sudden fluctuations. The prices have risen firmly but slowly. Of course the demand has increased, and the supply is perhaps inadequate to meet it, but why? The conclusion is that while there are numbers of rich people who prudently invest beyond the reach of political accidents, there are others who turn their money and other property into the smallest shape, and the one most favorable to concealment under their own personal care. If this be so, it shows the deep uneasiness felt by some persons as to their political and social position in the future. The Spanish nobility, for instance, are leaving their country for fear of the discontented masses, who may rise against them. Thus the price of diamonds may be deemed to have a political significance. We may be able by-and-by to foretell a new revolution in Europe by the rise in the value of precious stones. Sapphires, for instance, are growing so scarce, that a specimen of perfect color can scarcely be had for love or money. Are we to suppose that this indicates the revival of uneasy feeling in the East,—perhaps another mutiny in India? "Mr. Ruby" himself might profitably pursue this branch of investigation.

The Executive and the People.

In a recent discussion by a prominent English writer, as to the importance of a strong Government in this country, it is asserted that a popular choice of the Federal Executive is pretty sure to result in the selection of some military celebrity, if such an one is to be had, who is very unlikely to be competent to deal with any other than military affairs. After a long interval of peace such a celebrity is rarely available, and the only alternative is to choose a civilian who has not made himself particularly offensive by his political record, and who, for that reason, must be either a weak man or a trimmer. Our Government, it is argued, can never become strong until Congress shall have the power to elect and remove the Administration; for the people can never know their most competent statesmen, and will not call them to the head of affairs.

Such a criticism upon our institutions comes very naturally from such a source. Great Britain has been aptly styled "an aristocratic republic with a permanent Executive," and in the latter characteristic lies the necessity of practically delegating the choice of the Ministry to Parliament. The fact that the writer above quoted has lived under a "permanent Executive," undoubtedly prompted his opinion that it would be better for this country if Congress could elect and remove the Administration, meaning, undoubtedly, the Cabinet Ministers. In England the method by which the Ministry is kept in harmony with the majority in Parliament, is essential to the liberties of the people, and the preservation of peace. With us the case is far different. Our quadrennial elections are a general popular expression of political ideas. The candidates represent a definite policy, and principles of political action to which mere personal considerations are entirely subordinate.

Our Executive, thus chosen, is the popular exponent of the policy of his party for four years; and for the purpose of carrying it into execution, he is properly permitted to select as members of his Cabinet the men whom he regards as best fitted for the place, and as most likely to co-operate harmoniously with him. The President is directly responsible to the people, and it would be unjust to him to give the appointment of his agents to a co-ordinate branch of the Government, which might be opposed to the policy upon which he was elected. It would be equally unjust to permit Congress to remove his Cabinet and appoint another because of an intervening popular expression of hostility to the Administration. In Great Britain, the Executive being permanent, such a change may very properly be made at any time.

The resignation of the Attorney-General has no special significance at this moment, since it was a step decided on some months ago. Mr. HOAR has consulted his own inclinations in withdrawing from the office, but it is not impossible that he may sometimes have felt embarrassed by the fact that he was advising the President to take an apparently unpopular course on one or two foreign questions. We shall be better able to judge whether this surmise is correct when we know who has been appointed in his place.

There will be great joy among Americans in Europe and among mercantile houses doing business with this country at the re-admission of the Cunard and Inman steamers into the list of mail-carrying boats. No one doubts that the steamers of WILLIAMS & GUION and of the German companies have done their best to meet postal necessities during the Winter, but with one or two brilliant exceptions their time has been unquestionably slow. The arrangement concluded yesterday by the Postmaster-General gives every line a fair chance and leaves an opening for no complaint on the score of monopoly, while it affords the public all the facilities they could reasonably expect.

It is somewhat unfortunate that such men as Gen. BUTLER and Mr. FARNSWORTH should not be able to settle their personal differences in a more dignified manner than that of which a sample was afforded on Tuesday. The quarrel it appears has only commenced. In that case we shall have two men of undoubted ability and energy wasting the attention which is urgently demanded by the legislative necessities of the close of the session, upon a petty squabble which both will live to repent. It is to be hoped that each of them will see reason to distrust a sentiment of public duty which is prompted by an outbreak of personal pique.

Had the House of Representatives punished WHITTEMORE'S sale of a cadetship by expulsion, would not the punishment have implied the man's unfitness for a seat even if re-elected? Does the fact that by a misplaced leniency he was allowed to escape expulsion by resignation make his practical disqualification less decided? A sensitive man in his position would have sought relief from odium in obscurity. Not being sensitive, however, he glorified his shame by seeking re-election, and his former constituency degraded itself by re-electing him. What then? It is still incumbent on the House to maintain the standard of honor, which was compromised by the traffic in cadetships. Kentucky Democrats refused even to renominate GOLLADAY, who resigned after the manner of WHITTEMORE, and for a similar cause. Will the House prove itself less strict than the Kentucky Democracy?

The Albany *Argus* states that the TIMES "ignores the claims of GRANT to a renomination,"—in proof whereof it cites our remark that the next candidate will "in all probability be some one identified with the [Republican] policy as its representative, if not its originator." Perhaps the *Argus* will now tell us who is at present more likely than Gen. GRANT to be "identified with the policy" of his party, or more entitled than he to the credit of originating fresh points in its programme.

RED CLOUD is, after all, to gratify his numerous admirers by making a speech in the Cooper Institute. That subterranean assembly room is already rich in the associations of distinguished visitors and great speakers. If the hero of the seven nations talks as eloquently in his "brief address" there as he did in Washington, he need not fear a comparison in point of originality and natural power with any of the actors who have preceded him on the same platform. The grant of the much-desired seventeen horses seems to have sensibly elevated the spirits of the Chief, and New-York will doubtless remain for the future a green spot in his memory. We only wish we had a few public men who could speak so much to the purpose as he has done—and leave off when they had nothing more to say.

We have the assurance of no less an authority than the Cincinnati *Enquirer* that, notwithstanding the silence of the Ohio platform, "a large and perhaps a controlling section" of the Democratic Party, there and in the West, "are for open and undisguised repudiation." The contest within the party—according to the same journal—is between the avowed repudiators and the Pendletonians, who would redeem the bonds with greenbacks, to be issued for the purpose. The two sections could not be harmonized, and silence was therefore resorted to by way of compromise. The Democrats in the Tennessee Legislature have begun by discrediting State obligations; and the New-Orleans *Picayune* intimates that the example will be followed by other Southern Legislatures,—of course when they boast of Democratic majorities.

The prosecution of the directors of the Monarch Insurance Company for fraud, coming as it does not long after the disgraceful wind-up of the Albert, the revelations touching the conduct of the Credit Mobilier, and other smaller exposures of a similar character, furnishes a curious commentary on the tone of virtuous indignation lately assumed by the English Press in speaking of the public morality of this country. It is perfectly evident that there is abundance of successful rascality to employ their strictures at home, and that the failure to expose rogues is a good deal more prevalent on that side of the Atlantic than on this.

It is a curious fact that Denmark will not allow her seventy thousand Icelanders to manage their own frost-bitten affairs in their out-of-the-way island; and equally curious that those hyperboreans are as fierce in defense of their interests as if the place were in the neighborhood of the tropics. They have a party of "Young Icelanders," headed by JON SIGURDSON, who goes in for a native Parliament—the "All-thing;" and a Danish party of Gisli Brynjulfson, maintaining the authority of the Copenhagen "Rigsdag." Latest Iceland intelligence says that JON OLAFSON has published a fiery kind of *sapa* against the foreign legislators, and that Reykjavik, the metropolis, was greatly agitated with his trial by the authorities. JON is very defiant; but with a "packed jury," they will probably convict him, and he will be obliged to quit the country, like MITCHEL and MAZZINI, and take up his residence in some of the lower latitudes.

The *City of Ragusa*, an argosy twenty feet long, manned by two sailors and a dog, and bound on a voyage across the Atlantic to New-York, has put into Queenstown for repairs, having sprung a leak. It is to be hoped the necessary plugging will give the adventurers on board time for consideration, and that they will abandon their foolhardy purpose. If they meant to risk their lives in a new attempt to find a convenient North-western passage, there would be some justification for the enterprise. But as it is, the voyage is simply an outrage upon the confiding nature of the Newfoundland dog.

The problem of securing safe and expeditious City travel is beset with many difficulties. The elevated railway presents a bold attempt at its partial solution. But more thorough pains must be taken to meet the obvious drawbacks of such a mode of conveyance. Two rather ominous accidents within the short time that has elapsed since the opening are not calculated to impress the public mind with that feeling of perfect safety which is indispensable to its success. The terror with which it inspires the horses that are left standing near its course will likewise prove, as it has already done, a formidable source of danger. It is hard enough to drive horses through the streets now, without the elevated railway making things ten times worse than ever.

The East River Bridge—The Corner-Stone of the Brooklyn Tower Laid.

The first meeting of the new year was held in Brooklyn yesterday, at 12 o'clock, by the directors of the East River Bridge. The directors elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Hon. HENRY C. MURPHY, President; Mr. O. P. QUINTARD, Secretary; and Mr. JOHN H. PRENTICE, Treasurer. The first annual reports of the Chief Engineer and Superintendent were presented, in which the contracts given out were fully detailed, the amount of material removed and the general progress of the works stated at length.

The first or corner stone of the pile of masonry forming the Brooklyn tower of the bridge was laid yesterday afternoon. It is a massive block of lime-stone from the quarry at Kingston, Ulster County; is three feet wide by eight feet long, and weighs about 5,800 pounds, or 163 pounds to the cubic foot. Additional borings are now being made for the New-York tower. At a depth of thirty feet beneath the quicksand boulders have been reached, and indications of rock are apparent. Plans have been perfected for the New-York caisson, which is to be some what larger than the one just sunk at Brooklyn

Personal.

Baron de Riviere, of the French Legation, and Gov. Bowie, of Maryland, are at the New-York Hotel. Prince Sapieha, of France, is at the Hoffman House. Judge Berault, of Louisiana, is at the Clarendon Hotel. Rev. Dr. Fairbairn, of St. Stephen's College, is at the St. James Hotel. Gen. Sloane, of Ohio; Hon. G. B. Holmes, of Alabama, and Hon. C. C. Morse, of Rochester, are at the Fifth-avenue Hotel. Hon. F. S. Stevens, of Massachusetts; Hon. E. J. Bennett, of Norfolk, Va.; Col. P. T. Hawley, U. S. A., and C. W. Norton, of Boston, are at the Metropolitan Hotel. E. L. Davenport, of Boston, is at the Albemarle Hotel.

FITZ-HUGH LUDLOW sailed yesterday for Europe on the steamer *Nebraska*. He will remain abroad about two years for the benefit of his health, which is precarious.

SAMUEL FRENCH, Esq., the well-known publisher and his lady, sailed for Europe yesterday by the steam-ship *Java*.

The Long Island Railroad Case.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

In regard to the item in your paper on Saturday last, relative to the case of the young lady who, having lost her commutation ticket, was put off from the train on the Long Island Railroad one day last week, it seems but fair to Mr. CHARLICK to say that while as President of the road he could do nothing to make good the loss of the ticket, yet he personally adjusted the matter, on Friday last, in a way which was satisfactory to the young lady. Mr. CHARLICK disclaims having given any special directions, any expression his regret that the young lady was put off the train under the general rules of the road.

BROOKLYN, Tuesday, June 14, 1870. H.

WEST POINT.

A Glorious Moonlight—The Hop of Tuesday Night—Morning in the Highlands—Presentation of Diplomas to the Graduating Class—Order of Merit—Address by Secretary Belknap—Other Exercises.

From Our Special Correspondent.

WEST POINT, Wednesday, June 15, 1870.

Who that has ever visited West Point, and enjoyed its many choice attractions, can ever forget the witchery of its moonlight serenades sunset reviews and early guard-mountings. Old *Habitués* speak of the loveliness of last night as unsurpassed, if equaled, within their recollection. At about 9 o'clock the moon arose, and before 11 scarcely a cloud was to be seen. The moonbeams were not only clear but intensely bright. They flooded every lineament of the face of sleeping nature. It was a sea of silver light. Looking up the Hudson toward Newburg, one might reproduce the memory of the Lakes of Killarney; only here were the night boats, with their paddle-wheels roaring, blue flame leaping out of the smokestacks and furnace fires gleaming through the ports; white sails, like gigantic swans, gleaming everywhere, and the towers and steeples of the distant City of Newburg shone in the mellow beams.

THE HOP.

It was not until 10 o'clock that the ball-room began to fill up. At that hour about 100 couples occupied the floor. The display of dress was brilliant, and the scene was animated. But there was not the great rush and crush of guests usual on these occasions. The sensation of the evening was the presence of Mrs. GRANT, who entered gleaning on the arm of Secretary BELKNAP. She took a seat to the right of the center at the end of the hall, and, during the night, received the salutations of throngs who came to pay their respects. She was dressed in rose-colored silk, *en pompadour*, with lace corsage, and hair puffed and curled, and made a very modest, but pleasing, impression. The absence of a great many of the regular attendants of these hops was much remarked, the cause being generally attributed to the prevalence of cool weather, which probably keeps them in the City. While the affair was lacking in no other particular, it was in this. The morning hours had nearly flown in before the gay company had dispersed.

MORNING.

No day ever had a more beautiful dawning than this. Sunrise swept away the shadows so quickly that twilight could scarcely be discerned. The brilliant moonlight paled before the quick sunburst, and the stars dropped into the dimness of space. Simultaneously the chorus of birds commenced their morning anthems, and at once the echos rang with their warblings. There were not many who saw the sunrise of this morning. Nearly all were among the revelers last night, and their slumbers went far into the late hours. At 9 o'clock the plains were deserted of all except military figures. The drum-beat and the bugle-call for the day's doings had sounded before the yawning risers had fairly opened their eyes. Many of them arrived late at the scene of the graduating ceremonies.

BEGINNING OF THE EXERCISES.

At 11 o'clock the cadets formed in front of their barracks; the graduating class—with side-arms only—taking the rear rank, and the corps acting as their escort. The line of march was then taken up parallel with their barracks, to the plateau, under the shade-trees, in front of the library building. This is a great improvement upon the plan of former years, which had the ceremonies located under the broiling sun on the plains. Here the shelter from the heat was perfect; only one broad square of sunshine lit the center of the lawn, like a yellow mat. A delicious cool breeze from the river side fluttered among the leaves, and rendered the spot very agreeable. The cadets were formed in a semi-circular line, the graduates being ranged in front some distance from the rear ranks. Every available spot in the vicinity was occupied by spectators, the number of whom was not very large. Directly in front of the graduates at the opposite side of the plateau were the Board of Visitors, the staff of the Post, the military Professors and invited guests.

PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS.

After a musical salutatory from the band Secretary BELKNAP presented the diplomas to the graduates, each once advancing as his name was called. The names were called according to their individual standing, and it was most amusing to read the varying lights and shadows in their countenances according to their disappointment—agreeable or otherwise. Some heard their names pronounced with a start of the body, a quick enlargement of the eye, a pallor or a flush, or a shock through the whole frame.

THE GRADUATING CLASS.

The following is the official order:

HEADQUARTERS MILITARY ACADEMY, WEST POINT, N. Y., June 15, 1870.

First Class, arranged according to General Merit.

1. Greene.	21. Randolph.	41. Kingsbury, F. W.
2. Chaplin.	22. McCauley.	42. Kyle.
3. Holden.	23. Williams.	43. Olmstead.
4. Palfrey.	24. Edgerton.	44. Mosher.
5. Rockwell.	25. Pearson.	45. Hodgson.
6. Wood, E. E.	26. Tebbetts.	46. Shelton.
7. Weir.	27. Brodie.	47. Heiu.
8. Quinan.	28. Larned.	48. Smith, S.
9. Chaplin.	29. Cobb.	49. Wieting.
10. Reed, H. A.	30. Peirce.	50. Edgerly.
11. Homer.	31. Godwin.	51. Kerr.
12. Ives.	32. Fountain.	52. Stedman.
13. Donaldson.	33. Ward, F. K.	53. McDonald.
14. Stevens.	34. Coxe.	54. Conline.
15. Dudley, E. S.	35. Bomus.	55. Price.
16. Postley.	36. McClernand.	56. Floyd.
17. Bowrey.	37. Phelps.	57. Jerome.
18. Mac Nutt.	38. Carter, R. G.	58. Hunt.
19. Birkhimer.	39. Parker.	
20. Schuyler.	40. Schofield.	

Kingsbury, H. P.—Not examined; suspended.

By command of Brevet Brig.-Gen. PITCHER,
EDWARD C. BOYNTON,
Brevet Major and Adjutant.

ADDRESS BY THE SECRETARY OF WAR.

Secretary BELKNAP addressed the graduating class in a clear voice, and with fine effect. After alluding to the results of the years of training received in the Academy, he intimated that they were but little compared with the knowledge they would acquire hereafter by solid experience, by contact with brother officers, and by the new duties upon which they were entering. They had the same foundation of knowledge, upon which, gathering from fruitful experience, they could build a character of manly honor, of soldierly zeal and of patriotic virtue, which would command the confidence of the nation. He spoke of gigantic armies which the rebellion called into the field, and the faithful services of the volunteer officers, under leaders who had graduated from the Academy, as they had just done, such leaders as the "knightly soldier of the Western army—your own MCPHERSON; whether they were in that line which stood like a rock at Chickamauga, with your own THOMAS; whether they marched down to the sea with the victorious columns of your own SHERMAN; or, in that other line, fought it out although it took all Summer, under your own GRANT;" though volunteers, they never faltered in trustful obedience to their commanders, and these commanders never lost faith in their volunteers. He urged them not to forget what they owed the country which had made them so deeply its debtors, and declared that should sectional strife arise, in whatever strength, it expected them to defend the nation's faith and honor by an allegiance, active and so purely loyal that there could never be upon it the faintest semblance of doubt. They went forth from an institution, which, since 1802, had sent out 2,500 graduates, who in action had been among the bravest of the brave, and few of whom had won the badge of dishonor. Of the living graduates in service three-fourths were true to the flag in the rebellion. He referred to the historic associations of West Point and said, "Under such influences, gentlemen, you cannot fail to honor the Academy which today says to you, "Quit you like men, be strong!" and which, with my best wishes, and with the sincere benedictions of this assembly, sends you forth to fight the battles of the land for truth, and justice and perfect liberty!" [Prolonged applause.]

THE SALUTE.

The signal officer then signed to Battery Ringgold, and the roar of thirteen cannons went down the echoes of the Hudson. Among those present on the lawn were Mrs. Grant, Miss Nellie Grant, Gen. Dent, Secretary Belknap, Gens. Slocum, McDowell, Pitcher and Schriver, Admiral Porter, Major Boynton, Rev. ——— Newman, Judge Settle, and the others of the Board of Visitors, Col. Brown, Profs. Young, Mahan, Church, Bartlett, and the Academic staff, and other eminent guests. [The graduates, in two ranks, stood alone in the center of the plat. After music from the band the cadets reformed, marched to their barracks and were dismissed. The band then returned to the plains and played until noon.

CLOSE OF THE DAY.

This afternoon Secretary BELKNAP, in company with several officers, enjoyed a carriage drive to Fort Putnam and other points of historic interest. At 5½ o'clock, a battalion inspection drill took place before Inspector-Gen. SCHRIVER. This was an excellent exhibition; especially the rapid evolutions, and the prompt, quick skirmish-firing. Today the Engineer Corps have erected a spacious banquet hall, on the lawn in front of the West Point Hotel. This is to be used for the Alumni reunion of all the West Point graduates whether in civil or military life. It is altogether an unofficial, fraternal, convivial reunion of old comrades in arms. The examinations which have been suspended today, will be proceeded with to-morrow, and will close on Monday. Lieut.-Col. MICHIE who is accounted by critics as one of the most accomplished officers in the service, and one of the best instructors on the Academic staff, has been appointed by Secretary BELKNAP one of the Commission, with Maj.-Gens. BARNARD and WRIGHT to visit, examine and report upon the fortifications in Europe. They will leave in a fortnight's time, and will be absent about four months. This is the most important service of the kind that has been ordered since that executed by Prof. MAHAN and Gen. MCCLELLAN in the Crimea.

The Fire-Works—A Gorgeous Display—The Ball at Cozzens'.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WEST POINT, June 15.—The exhibition of fire-works on the Plains, to-night, was one of the most gorgeous that could be imagined. Large pasteboard shells were shot from the great mortars of the siege battery down on the northern river bank, and far up into the air; and just as they commenced to curve in their descent they exploded and scattered innumerable jets and sparks of every hue and color. Some of these again burst and sent forth myriads of grotesque shapes, hissing scorpions, fiery dragons, roaring sheets of flame, comet-like trains of fire, and so on. All of these fireworks were the skillful handiwork of the first class. A large number of persons, many of them ladies, witnessed the display from the lawn. The superb band of the Post added considerably to the pleasure of the evening by the music which they made. The ball at Cozzens' this evening was as brilliant as that of last night. At 10 o'clock the hotel was brilliant with dazzling light, beauty, grace and elegance. The attendance is large and the display of toilets is magnificent. Nearly all of the distinguished personages who were present last night, are noticeable here to-night.

THE BEETHOVEN FESTIVAL.

Although the habitual reader is not in duty bound to interest himself to an extraordinary degree in the pecuniary good fortune of the musical festival now being holden at the Coliseum, it may be taken for granted that, bearing in mind the outlay caused by bringing together so vast an array of talent, he will not be dissatisfied at the prospect now opening, of ultimate financial as well as artistic success. The two concerts yesterday were more largely attended than any of their predecessors, and had not the weather been unpropitious from twilight until the night had fairly set in, there is little doubt the structure would have been quite crowded. The miscellaneous character of the two programmes and the revision of the tariff of prices—a permanent revision, we observe—had much to do with the increased prosperity of the enterprise. Following is the afternoon programme:

PART I.

Overture, "Fra Diavolo".....Auber
Ave Maria.....Gounod
Mme. Parepa-Rosa.
The Violin Obligato performed by One Hundred Violinists.
Solo for Cornet, "Fantasie from Attila".....Verdi
Mr. M. Arbuckle.
Grand Chorale, "Judgment Hymn".....Luther
National Air, "Star-Spangled Banner".....Key
Mme. Parepa-Rosa.
Full Chorus, Organ, Grand Orchestra, Military Bands, Drum Corps and Cannon Accompaniment.

PART II.

Overture, "William Tell".....Rossini.
Inflammatus, "Stabat Mater".....Rossini.
Mme. Parepa-Rosa.
Grand Chorus, Organ and Orchestra.
Selections from "Il Trovatore," "Anvil Chorus."
Miss Clara Louise Kellogg.
Full Chorus, Grand Orchestra, Military Bands, Drum Corps, Bell, Anvil and Cannon Accompaniment.
Quadrille of all Nations.....Jullien.
First time in New-York since conducted by Jullien.

This list of selections calls for little comment. Mme. PAREPA-ROSA rendered the "Inflammatus" while the opening concert was in progress, and with all the purity and volume of voice, and the breadth of style for which her interpretation of sacred music is especially notable. The applause which then greeted its termination was renewed, and it was revived again at the close of the "Ave Maria," the effect of which, however, spite of the singer's exertions, was less great than that of ROSSINI's composition. We hardly think that Mr. ARBUCKLE was heard to the best advantage during yesterday's entertainment, and our recollection of the fullness of Mr. LEVY's tone, and of the volubility of his execution—a volubility of the most remarkable kind, distinguished by a perfect regard of tempo, and a clearness in the division of notes, seemingly impossible to secure in passages of equal rapidity—was not effaced by the performer's first effort. But in Jullien's Quadrille, with which the affair ended, a rare poesy of phrasing, unsurpassed skill in swelling and diminishing the mass of sound, and much sweetness were discernible, and a strong desire was created for another opportunity of listening to the artist. The impressiveness of the interpretation by the instrumental and choral forces of "The Star-spangled Banner" has already been alluded to here; and we have only to add to our previous record of its fitness to kindle enthusiasm, that the accents of the artillery were correctly distributed. "The Anvil Chorus" was equally satisfying.

YESTERDAY EVENING.

Last evening, and in the presence of a very numerous and intelligent audience, the programme following was interpreted:

PART I.

Overture to Robespierre.....Litolff
"Inflammatus".....Rossini
Miss Caroline Richings.
Polacca, "Puritani".....Bellini
Miss Clara Louise Kellogg.
Overture, "Oberon".....Weber
"Miserere," Trovatore.....Verdi
Miss Clara Louise Kellogg and Sig. Ch. Lefranc.
Anvil Chorus, "Trovatore".....Verdi

PART II.

Overture, "William Tell".....Rossini
By Gilmore's Band.
"Last Rose of Summer," Miss Caroline Richings.
Duo, "Polluto".....Donizetti
Miss Clara Louise Kellogg and Signor Ch. Lefranc.
Coronation March, "Prophete".....Meyerbeer
The Grand Trio, "William Tell".....Rossini
Signor Ch. Lefranc, Signor Reyna and Signor Susini.
Grand Chorus, "Glory be to God".....Handel

The singing of Miss RICHINGS—the lady's maiden name reappearing on the bills—deserves particular mention. Miss RICHINGS rendered the "Inflammatus" admirably, and when it is remembered that Mme. ROSA sang it twice during the festival and brought to its influence over ten thousand spectators, vocal resources no living artist possesses in equal variety, this simple statement implies the highest praise. But the furor of the night was created by Signor LEFRANC's performance, which, day before yesterday, also caused a demonstration of delight as loud as that elicited by the united attempts of instruments, voices and artillery. Miss KELLOGG, (whose execution of the polacca in "I Puritani," had, at an earlier stage of the proceedings, set all doubt at rest as to her reliability as a solo vocalist in so large a concert-room,) gave first with Signor LEFRANC, the *miserere* from "Il Trovatore," the tenor being called to the front at the conclusion, and compelled to repeat the whole extract. The execution of the duo from "Il Polluto," with which the same artists once before electrified the frequenters of the Academy of Music, was still more fruitful of applause. Though the scenic surroundings in late operatic seasons have not been of the most inspiriting kind, it is evident that the poorest canvas representations and the humblest contributions of the property-man are not wholly valueless to the artist as means of maintaining in his mind a desirable illusion. The depressing circumstances in the shape of boards and black coats had happily no unfortunate consequence in this case, and Signor LEFRANC and Miss KELLOGG interpreted their duet with immense *élan* and with a fervor of the most genuine kind. Signor LEFRANC's grand voice, never more powerful, broader in compass or under better control than it was last night, was afterward heard in the magnificent trio from "William Tell. Among the distinguished persons present, while the entertainment progressed, was M. DE CATACAZY, the Russian Minister to this country. The directors of the Festival report that they have received a dispatch stating that President GRANT and suite will be present at the Coliseum on Friday. The concerts of this afternoon and evening are referred to elsewhere. They are to be as varied and as attractive as those just spoken of in detail, but we lack space to print the programmes.

FORTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

SECOND SESSION

SENATE...WASHINGTON, Wednesday, June 15.

Mr. FENTON presented memorials in favor of the importation of pig-lead free of duty; from the New-York dealers in hides and leather against the passage of the section in the new Tariff bill relating to oils, as tending to injure the manufacture of leather; from MOSES TAYLOR, Commodore VANDERBILT and others, against any repeal of the Registry law by which foreign-built ships shall be admitted for any term of years to register in the United States.

DUTIES OF PENSION AGENTS.

Mr. EDMUNDS called up the House bill to define the duties of pension agents, to prescribe the manner of paying pensions and for other purposes.

The bill provides, among other things, for the quarterly payment of pensions, and makes the fees of pension agents uniform.

The amendments of the Committee on Pensions were agreed to, and the bill passed.

REPORTS FROM COMMITTEES.

Mr. STEWART, from the Judiciary Committee, reported adversely on the bill to confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear and determine the suit of the City of Carondelet *vs.* United States.

Mr. OSBORN, from the Committee on Public Lands, reported with amendment, the bill granting lands to the North Louisiana and Texas Railroad Company.

Mr. CORBETT, from the Committee on Commerce, reported, as amended, the bill authorizing the establishment of ocean mail steam-ship service between the United States and Australia.

The amendments reduce the period for inviting proposals by advertisement from sixty to thirty days, and limit the amount of subsidy for twelve round voyages per annum to $500,000 instead of $300,000. It is also required that similar subsidies shall be received by the accepted bidder from the Governments of the Sandwich Islands, Fejee and Society Islands, and of New-Caledonia, New-Zealand and Australia. The ships are to be of the best material, of either wood or iron, upon improved models, of 2,000 tons register, &c.

DISCOVERY OF GUANO.

At 2:20 the Senate took up the unfinished business, being the bill to confirm the title of Mrs. HARRIETT PARKER to two guano islands in the North Pacific Ocean, discovered by her late husband. A lengthy discussion ensued as to the supposed value of the discovery, and the rights of the party. The bill passed.

THE FRANKING BILL.

The Franking bill coming up on orders at 3:40 o'clock, Mr. ROBERTSON moved its postponement till July 4.

Mr. CHANDLER moved to pass it over for the present, in order to take up the Chattanooga and Cincinnati Railroad bill, stating he would move the New-York Air-line Railroad bill as an amendment.

Both motions were rejected and the Franking bill was proceeded with.

Messrs. HOWE and BUCKINGHAM announced their determination to oppose all amendments as endangering the bill, by requiring its return to the House.

The remainder of the session was occupied by Mr. WISE in a half hour speech against the bill; his argument being that the so-called public sentiment in its favor had been manufactured to order by Postmasters under the command of the Postmaster-General.

At 4½ o'clock the Senate took a recess till evening.

EVENING SESSION.

NIAGARA BRIDGE AT BUFFALO.

The Senate met at 7½ o'clock this evening. Mr. FENTON called up the House bill authorizing the construction and maintenance of a bridge over Niagara River at Buffalo. He reported amendments, which were adopted, requiring the bridge to have at least two draws not less than 160 feet in width, and to be parallel to the current of the river; giving the Secretary of War supervision of the work; all railroad companies desiring to use the same are equal in privileges in passage of the bridge and use of the machinery and fixtures, under such terms as may be prescribed by the United States District Court of Northern New-York, when the companies shall not agree. The bill was passed.

THE FRANKING BILL.

The Senate then proceeded wish the Franking bill, and Mr. WYE continued his remarks to show that, as an economical measure, the bill was not a reform.

Mr. SAWYER favored the amendment to the bill as a means of embarrassing it; for, if sent back to the House—the godfather of the bantling—that body would certainly strangle it. He spoke of the importance of the franking privilege in the diffusion of information throughout the West and South, where the newspaper facilities of New-York and other Northern States were not open to the people.

Mr. A. G. THURMAN considered the franking system a privilege, not to Congressmen but to the people. He had advocated its abolition as one step to a cheaper rate of postage. Replying to Mr. SAWYER, he said that the bill, having passed the House with but seventeen dissenting votes, it was unfair to assume that the House was hostile to the measure.

Mr. CARPENTER criticised the conduct of the members of the House in electioneering against the bill in the Senate, and also of the Postmaster-General in bringing to bear, through petitions circulated by Postmasters, a fictitious public sentiment to influence the action of Congress. He spoke of the franking privilege as a most important agency in saving the life of the Government, and as a valuable auxiliary in disseminating information during reconstruction. The Republican Party, as the party of intelligence, could not afford to ignore these considerations. He also remarked that nothing was to be saved in the expense of carrying the mails, as contracts had just been let for four years.

Mr. MORTON desired to have the bill perfected, with a view to its passage, and suggested various amendments. He would insert a provision for the payment of the passage of members of Congress, believing every member of the Senate, without exception, was in favor of it.

Messrs. HOWE and ROSS desired to be excepted from the number.

Mr. MORTON held that his remark was true of the mass of the members of both Houses.

At 10 o'clock, without vote on the bill, the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

FREE COAL.

Mr. MAYNARD, from the Committee of Ways and Means, reported the bill to relieve coal from all taxation, and moved its reference to the Committee of the Whole.

Mr. HOOPER made a minority report, and moved the same reference. The bill was read.

It provides that there shall not be collected any duty whatever on any coal imported into the United States after the 1st of December, 1870, nor shall there be required any internal revenue stamp on any receipt, manifest, charter, party conveyance, lease, contract, or other instrument of which coal forms the exclusive or chief subject of consideration; nor shall any exemption be made in taxing gross receipts from the transportation or conveyance of coal; nor shall any special tax be imposed on any vehicle or vessel, by land or water, employed exclusively or chiefly in carrying coal; nor shall any tonnage duty be imposed upon or exacted from such vessels; nor shall sales of coal by auctioneers or others, be included in the estimate of sales, nor shall the profits arising from the mining of coal, or from dealing therein, be included in computing incomes for taxation, nor shall any other tax be imposed on coal or traffic in it.

The minority report, which is signed by Messrs. HOOPER, ALLISON, BROOKS and MARSHALL, states that that there were two members absent when the matter was considered; that the minority could not agree with the bill as reported by the majority, and therefore proposed a substitute; and that if all the members of the Committee had been present, the minority bill would have been adopted. The substitute provides that on and after the 1st of September the bituminous and other coal imported into the United States shall be admitted free of duty.

Mr. SCHENCK, Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means, asked and obtained permission to make a statement. The resolution instructing the Committee on the subject had been adopted on Monday, the 6th. He had proceeded with the rest of the Board of Visitors to the Military Academy. His desire had been that the Committee should obey the order of the House at the earliest practicable moment, and report back a bill in conformity with what he understood to be that order. The resolution was "that the Committee of Ways and Means be hereby instructed, at the earliest moment practicable, to report a bill abolishing the tariff on coal." The succeeding words, "so as to secure that important article of fuel to the people free from all taxation," he regarded as simply a construction of or inference from the order and not precisely sustained by it. He had himself prepared a bill submitted it to the Committee, placing coal on the free list. If he had been present with the Committee he should, as a matter of course, have voted for that or its equivalent. He wished it to be understood now that he concurred in opinion with the minority of the Committee.

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NEW-YORK.

By William Kennelly.

3-story brick house, 3-story stable and lot, s. w. corner East Broadway and Jefferson-st., lot 26.1x85 ..... $24,500

2 lots s. s. 54 th.-st., 158 ft. 4 in. West of Broadway, each 16.8x95, $8,000 apiece $16,000

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Two-story frame house and lot, n. s., No. 755 Dean-st., next house but one to above, lot same size 2,475

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Transfers of Real Estate.

NEW-YORK.

Bleecker-st., n. s., 270 ft. w. of Bowery road, 20x 67.2 ..... $1,000

Clinton-st., e. s., 47 ft. s. of Broome-st., 25x80 15,500

Market-st., e. s., being one-ninth part of the distance between Madison and Henry sts., 22.3x 11,250

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46th-st., n. s., 300 ft. w. of 6th-av., 50x94.11 6,000

134th-st., s. s., 410 ft. e. of 6th-av., 50x94.11 112,000

4th-av. and 45th-st., n. e. corner, 75x85 .....

Leases Recorded.

University-place, No. 79, 5 11-12 years, per year $2,200

33d-st., No. 316, West, 2 years, per year 576

41st-st., No. 21, East, 2 1-10 years, per year 3,000

24th-st., No. 336, 2 years, per year 800

6th-av., No. 28, West, 7 years, per year .....

KINGS COUNTY.

Brooklyn.

Clarkson-st., s. s., 47 ft. e. of Bedford-place, 43x 150x47x50x90x20 ..... $2,600

Dean-st., n. s., 275 ft. e. of Pace-av., 25x107 400

Downing-st., W. s., 266 ft. s. of Gates-av., 40x101.6 22,000

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Madison-st., n. s., 225 ft. n. of Frankfort-st., 25x 100 6,000

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13th-st., s. s., 97.10 ft. w. of 4th-av., 25x100 .....

14th-st., s. s., 97.10 ft. w. of 4th-av., 175x100 ..... } 27,000

4th-av., w. s., entire point from 13th to 14th-sts., 200x97.10 .....

17th-st., n. s., 225 ft. e. of 6th-av., 50x100x25x100x 25x200 1,300

Cypress-av. and Grove-st., n. w. corner, 25x100 .. 450

Fulton and Stone-avs., n. e. corner, 100x100, (¼ share 2,250

Green-av., s. s., 94 ft. w. of Tompkins-av., 47x76x 6x25x41x100 500

Hale-av., w. s., 227 ft. s. of Brooklyn and Jamaica Plank road, 25x80 275

Harrison-av., w. s., 91 ft. s. of Hewes-st., 20x100 .. 417

Nostrand-av., e. s., 185.6 ft. s. of Herkimer-st., 25x150 .....

Nostrand-av., e. s., 210.6 ft. s. of Herkimer-st., 25x150 4,000

RICHMOND COUNTY.

Castleton.

Adjoining n. w. corner of land of P. M. Cary, 459 x55x43x3x42x153 ..... $2,000

Corner Castleton and Bard-av., 368.11x676.6x368.7 x682.2 100,000

Stuyvesant-st., w. s., 125 ft. s. of Wall-st., 25x200 2,000

Clifton.

New-York-av., w. s., 50 ft. n. of Wood road, 101.6 x50x394.3x154.6x494.3 ..... $9,350

Northfield.

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Port Richmond.

Heberton-st., adjoining land of Mrs. Phœbe A. Van Pelt, 122x49x38.5x50x187x228.9x236.2 lots $22,000

Elizabeth-st., 105 ft. w. of Broadway, 25x100 350

Southfield.

Richmond road, adjoining and of Danl. Wandel, 2 48-100 acres $3,000

Amboy road, adjoining land Catharine E. Metcalfe, 1 acre 5,000

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

Bedford.

Bedford to Cascob road, e. s., adjoining Geo. Hobby's, 4½ acres $900

Cossinng.

Mill-st., n. s., adjoining Joseph Hunt's, L. H. Miller's property $500

Pelham.

3d-av., e. s., lot No. 20, Pelhamville, 100x100 ..... $150

Morrisania.

140th-st., s. s., 121 ft. e. of Alexander-av., 25x100.. $8,000

146th-st., n. s., 175 ft. e. of Clifton-av., 50x100 5,500

West Farms.

Hoffman-st., e. s., 50x119 ..... $600

Washington-av. and Morris-st., n. e. corner, 100x98 4,300

Yonkers.

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Warburton-av., w. s., 100 ft. n. of Lamartine-av., 50x200 4,000

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Jersey City.

Bay-st., n. s., 135 ft. w. of Prospect-st., 25x100 .... $2,700

Scott-st., s. s., Henry Garde's lot, 50x100 1,800

Bayonne.

Avenue T, w. s., 288 ft. from corner of 3d-st., 100x161 ..... $8,400

Greenville.

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ESSEX COUNTY.

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To a good tenant it will be let or leased for two years at a low rent, during the absence of the owner abroad.

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TO LET OR FOR SALE—A NEW French-roofed house, containing nine rooms, nicely finished, with lot 150 feet square; handsomely laid out; plenty fruit and shade; surrounded by schools and churches, and within fifty minutes of New-York by Central Railroad of New-Jersey, and four minutes from depot; rent $300; price reasonable, with sixty per cent. of purchase money left as a mortgage. Address E. H., Box No. 120 *Times* Office, or Box No. 2,338 New-York Post-office.

TO LET—AT NEW-ROCHELLE, NEAR NEPtune House, a furnished cottage from July 1, for four months or one year; plain but very comfortable; nine rooms; seven acres of orchard, pasture and garden. Address D. C. PELHAM, Westchester County.

ROCKAWAY.—MARINE PAVILION Grounds—Furnished cottages, with or without board; coach-houses and stabling; cottages close to the bathing-ground; trains six times a day by South-side Railroad. R. BAINBRIDGE.

TO LET—TREMONT, WESTCHESTER County, thirty minutes by rail, near depot, two new houses, ten rooms; fine grounds; water and gas; will rent low. Apply to M. BURD, No. 44 Beekman-st.

TO LET.—WEST POINT, NEAR COZZENS' Hotel, a furnished cottage to let, containing twelve rooms. For terms, &c., address SYLVANUS T. COZZENS, West Point, N. Y.

STORES, &C., TO LET.

OFFICES TO LET,

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TIMES BUILDING.

Fine, handsome offices on second and third floors. Inquire of GEORGE JONES, *Times* Office.

TO LEASE—ON GREAT JONES-ST., SECond building from Broadway; will be ready about the 15th of July. A fine new corner store on first floor, about 27 by 65 feet, with iron front and plate-glass windows. Also the second floor, 27 by 65 feet, together or separately; steam power if required. Apply to NICOL & DAVIDSON, No. 686 Broadway.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

ISOLA BELLA FOR SALE OR LEASE. "The finest country seat in the United States is the famous 'Isola Bella' of the Adirondacks. L. S. Hashell, Esq., the esthetic projector of Llewellyn Park, and the best judge living, pronounces this island "the finest hundred acres in the world." Nestled in the bosom of Schroon Lake, at the foot of the spurs of the Adirondacks, with every variety of surface, arable land, rocks, woods, beach, drives, and the nearest approach to alpine scenery in America, it was justly said by Prince Bonaparte to outrival the Lake of Como in natural beauty and attractions. The majestic peaks of Mount Marcy, Seward, Camel's Hump, &c., are in full view. The lake is superior to Lake George in scenery, equals Lake Geneva in Switzerland in beauty, and abounds in fish, while the hunting is unsurpassed on this continent. Five deer have been shot from the island in one day, and two deer now in Central Park were captured on this island. Partridges and other game are plentiful. Boating, bathing, walks, drives, every attraction for the man of means and taste. While one side of the lake is in the midst of the wilderness, the other side is within the reach of civilization, accessible by rail, and connected with the outer world by a daily mail to Schroon Lake Village, half a day's journey from New-York. Mansion-house fully furnished, billiard-room, stables, out-buildings, observatory, &c. It is the property of Hon. Bayard Clarke, and is offered for sale or rent by reason of this gentleman's prolonged residence in Europe. For a private residence or a hotel it cannot be equaled anywhere. Apply to Hon. JOEL F. POTTER, at Schroon Lake, N. Y., or to Mr. Clarke's attorneys, ABBETT & FULLER, No. 229 Broadway, New-York.

FOR SALE—A FARM OF SIXTY-TWO acres, fifty miles out, four miles from railroad station, fronting on two public highways; forty-five acres improved, balance woodland; valuable locust timber growing; thirty-five acres growing crops; schools and churches handy. Apply at once *Country-house Monitor* Office, No. 75 Fulton-st., New-York, up-stairs. Land agents need not respond.

HANDSOME SUBURBAN RESIdence to sale at Elizabeth, forty to fifty minutes from New-York; frequent communication at rates from New-York; cheap rates by the month; house of twelve rooms, modern conveniences, stables, lawn, fruit-trees, one acre; price $15,000. Address HOUSE, Box No. 256 New-York Post-office.

ORANGE, N. J.—VILLAS, VILLA SITES and farms, a great variety, beautifully situated one hour from N. Y., for sale low. Also, country-seats and houses to let for the season, or year, by BLACKWELL & SMITH, 243 Broadway, N. Y., 9 to 11 A. M.; Orange, corner Main and Cone sts., 1 to 3 P. M.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

E. A. LAWRENCE, Auctioneer.

BY LAWRENCE, OAKLEY & FLEURY.

THE GREAT EXCURSION SALE OF THE SEASON!

$5,000 PRIZE, FREE RIDE AND FREE LUNCH!!

HO! FOR JAMAICA!!!

300 LOTS AND VILLA PLOTS

to be sold on the premises,

WITHOUT RESERVE,

on very easy terms,

$10 MONTHLY,

if desired, at

EAST LAWN, JAMAICA, L. I.,

JUNE 20 and 27, at 12 o'clock noon.

A GOTHIC COTTAGE

and premises, valued at $5,000, to be given to the purchasers as

A PRIZE!

Also,

ADMIRABLE VILLA PARK PROPERTY.

Jamaica is within a half hour's ride to the City ferries; fare, by the 100 tickets, 12 cents each; commutation $45 a year—very little more than the fare in City cars.

This large and beautiful village, soon to be a city, enjoys first-class church and school facilities.

The property is located in the finest and healthiest section of the village, surrounded by splendid villas and cottages. Title perfect.

Free tickets and further information obtained at the offices of

LAWRENCE, OAKLEY & FLEURY,

No. 10 Pine-st., New-York, and

SUMNER & BUSBY,

No. 124 Broadway, Brooklyn, E. D.

O. H. PIERSON, Auctioneer.

BY A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO.,

AUCTIONEERS

and

DEALERS IN NEW-JERSEY REAL ESTATE.

No. 6 Pine-st., New-York.

TUESDAY, June 21, 1870,

at 1 P. M.,

on the premises,

POSITIVE SALE OF 206 LOTS

at

GREENVILLE, N. J.,

Twenty minutes from the New-York side of the River by the Central Railroad of New-Jersey.

Over forty trains daily.

These lots are well situated on both sides of Danforth-av., and front on Chestnut and Linden avs., in the immediate vicinity of improvements, and commanding fine water views.

Terms unusually easy—Ten per cent. cash and the auction fees on the day of sale, and the balance may be paid in quarterly installments.

From those parties intending to build at once no money will be required for two years beyond the per cents. and fees paid on the day of sale.

Special train will leave the foot of Liberty-st. at 11:40 A. M.

Collation on the arrival of the train.

For maps, passes and full particulars, apply at the office of the auctioneer, No. 6 Pine-st.

WILSON H. BLACKWELL, Auctioneer.

MALLORY & BLACKWELL,

Auctioneers and Brokers, No. 55 Liberty-st.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22,

At 4 P. M., on the premises,

ABSOLUTE SALE AT

NEWTOWN.

Plot of five acres, beautifully located on high ground, commanding extensive views on the Hudson River and surrounding country for forty miles, with the new and well-built

RESIDENCE,

containing eighteen rooms, all finished in modern and most approved manner, with hard wood doors and trimmings on main floor, marble mantels, marble-top washstands, with plumbing complete in all the chambers, with bath, water tank, dumb waiter, gas pipes, &c. Fine carriage-house and stables.

Seventy-five per cent. can remain on bond and mortgage.

Immediate possession can be given.

Carriages will meet the train leaving 30th-st at 2 P.M.

Sale positive. In the event of stormy

Further particulars of auctioneers,

MALLORY & BLACKWELL, No. 55 Liberty-st.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.

VALUABLE PROPERTY NORTHEAST CORNER OF NASSAU AND ANN STS.

BY ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT, IN PARTITION.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on THURSDAY, June 16, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, under the direction of Samuel Wood, Esq., referee,

ALL THOSE LOTS OR PARCELS OF LAND, situate on the corner of Nassau and Ann sts., and known as No. 107 Nassau-st. and Nos. 25 and 27 Ann-st., being 24 feet 9 inches on Nassau-st., 70 feet 7 inches on Ann-st., 61 feet 1 inch rear, and 70 feet on the north line.

Sixty per cent. may remain on bond and mortgage for three years.

MILLINERY.

SUMMER BONNETS AND LADIES' Hats; Crape Bonnets $8, worth $12; Traveling Hats; Crape Bonnets and Hats. Great Bargains this day at Lonnets and Hats. Great Bargains this day at PINET'S New Millinery, No. 617 Broadway, upstairs. This is valuable.

FINANCIAL.

THE NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY.

OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.

NO. 336 BROADWAY.

CAPITAL - $1,000,000

DEPOSITS, OVER $4,000,000.

PAYS 4 PER CENT. INTEREST ON DEPOSITS SUBJECT TO CHECK AT SIGHT.

PAYS 5 PER CET. INTEREST ON SPECIAL DEPOSITS FOR SIX MONTHS OR LONGER.

THE COMPANY IS A LEGAL DEPOSITORY FOR MONEYS PAID INTO COURT, AND RECEIVES MONEYS IN TRUST.

DARIUS B. MANGAM, President.

B. L. SOLOMON, First Vice-President. BENJ. F. BANCROFT, Second Vice-President.

JAMES MERRELL, Secretary.

H. H. BOODY. D. A. BOODY. H. P. BOODY.

HENRY H. BOODY & CO.,

Bankers

AND

Railway Agents,

No 12 Wall-st., New-York.

Make Collections, pay Coupons and Dividends, Buy and Sell Governments, Railway Bonds, and other Securities on Commission.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION GIVEN TO THE NEGOTIATION OF RAILWAY AND OTHER CORPORATE LOANS.

N. B.—Interest allowed on deposits.

NEW-YORK, May 2, 1870.

1st Mortgage

8 PER CENT. GOLD BONDS,

Guaranteed by the State of Alabama,

FOR SALE ON FAVORABLE TERMS BY

HENRY CLEWS & CO.,

BANKERS AND FINANCIAL AGENTS FOR THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

NO. 32 WALL-ST.

The Undersigned Offer for Sale

The First Mortgage Eight per Cent.

GOLD BONDS

OF THE

St. Joseph and Denver City R. R. Co.

Interest payable February and August. Price, 97½ and accrued Interest in Currency. Pamphlets, with Map, &c., furnished on application.

W. P. CONVERSE & CO.,

Commercial Agents, No 54 Pine-st.

TANNER & CO.,

Fiscal Agents, No. 49 Wall-st.

HOME INVESTMENT.

FIRST MORTGAGE SEVEN PER CENT.

SINKING FUND BONDS OF

Long Island RR. Co.

These Bonds, the entire debt of the Company, are less than $15,000 per mile, are secured also by a large property at HUNTER'S POINT, and can be registered. They are due in 1898; interest payable May and November. Price, 90 and interest. For sale by

O. E. WOOD,

where copy of mortgage can be seen. NO. 23 NASSAU-ST.

MUNROE & CO.,

AMERICAN BANKERS,

NO. 7 RUE SCRIBE, PARIS.

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Issue Circular Letters of Credit for Travelers in all parts of Europe. &c. Exchange on Paris.

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BANKERS, NO. 50 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK,

ISSUE CIRCULAR LETTERS OF CREDIT for travelers' use, available in all parts of Europe, through the

MESSRS. DE ROTHSCHILD, OF PARIS, LONDON, FRANKFORT-ON-THE-MAIN, VIENNA AND THEIR CORRESPONDENTS.

Also, make telegraphic transfers of money on CALIFORNIA, EUROPE AND HAVANA.

DREXEL, WINTHROP & CO.,

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Issue letters of credit for

TRAVELERS,

Available in all the principal cities of Europe, through

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NO. 3 RUE SCRIBE, PARIS.

WHITEHOUSE & CO.,

BANKERS AND BROKERS,

Have removed from No. 29 William-st., to No. 55 Exchange-place and will continue to buy and sell Governments, Gold, Stocks and Bonds on Commission as heretofore.

AUSTIN BALDWIN & CO.,

BANKERS,

NO. 70 BROADWAY,

NO. 32 RUE DU DIX DECEMBRE, PARIS,

Issue letters of credit for travelers in Europe, draw bills of exchange on the City Bank of London and on Paris, and the principal cities of Germany and Italy.

J. & W. SELIGMAN & CO.,

BANKERS,

No. 59 Exchange-place, corner Broad-st.,

New-York,

Issue Letters of Credit for travelers payable in any part of Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia and America. Draw Bills of Exchange and make telegraphic transfers of money on Europe and California.

BROWN BROTHERS & CO.,

NO. 59 WALL-ST.,

issue COMMERCIAL and TRAVELERS' CREDITS AVAILABLE in all PARTS of the WORLD.

UNION PACIFIC SECURITIES.

FIRST MORTGAGE, 6 Per Cent., Gold; LAND GRANTS, 7 Per Cent., Currency; INCOME BONDS, 10 Per Cent., Currency; and STOCK, bought and sold.

D. STANTON, No. 25 Broad-st.

HONEY BROOK COAL COMPANY, No. 209 WALNUT-ST., PHILADELPHIA, May 27, 1870.

AT THE SPECIAL MEETING OF the stockholders of this Company, held on 26th inst., the supplement to the Company's charter, passed by the Legislature of the State of Pennsylvania, and on the 9th April approved by the Governor, was rejected unanimously by the shareholders voting and by a majority of the shares.

GEO. H. MYERS, Chairman.

Attest: LOUIS REEVES, Secretary.

DRAFT LOST OR MISLAID.—A DRAFT, signed by G. S. Rathbun & Co. dated Chicago, March 15, 1870, for $5,000, at six months, on D. J. & J. S. Ely & Co., New-York, and accepted by them, is mislaid or lost by the owner thereof. If it is drawn to the order of John A. Ely, and numbered 253. Parties are cautioned against purchasing the same, as payment is stopped, and any one having it in their possession will confer a favor by returning it to be delivered or transmitted to Messrs. G. P. BISSELL & CO., Hartford, Conn.

OFFICE PEOPLE'S FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 366 CANAL-ST., NEW-YORK, June 6, 1870.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR DIRECTORS of this Company will be held at their office TUESDAY, June 21, 1870. Polls open at 12 o'clock M. and close at 1 o'clock P. M.

FRED. V. PRICE, Secretary.

LOST—A LETTER ADDRESSED TO J. & D. A. Comsalus, Troy, N. Y., containing our note dated May 16, 1870, payable four months from date at the office of Sprague, Colburn & Co., N. Y. Said note was for $2,056 86, and was indorsed by Wm. F. Bacon, Treasurer, to whom it was made payable for value received of J. & D. A. Comsalus. All persons are cautioned against negotiating said note, as the payment thereof will be refused. PRESTON WOOLEN Company, by

WM. F. BACON, Treasurer.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., June 3, 1870

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUtioned against negotiating certificate No. 18,382, in name of GEORGE BREITENSTEIN, issued by the New-York Life Insurance and Trust Company, dated April 5, 1870, for $1,700, upon which $1,300 has been paid. Said certificate having been lost or stolen, payment thereof has been stopped, and a new certificate applied for.

GEORGE BREITENSTEIN.

FINANCIAL.

ELIZABETHTOWN & PADUCAH RAILROAD,

OF KENTUCKY.

FIRST MORTGAGE

8 Per Cent. 20-Year Bonds

Coupons payable on the 1st days of March and September at the BANK OF AMERICA, in New-York, where the principal is also payable as maturity.

These Bonds are issued in sums of $1,000, Coupon Bonds, under the First Mortgage of the road, covering its entire property and franchises, and are due in 1890. They have the privilege of conversion into stock by the holder for seven years after the first through train has been run. The Bonds can also be registered, if desired.

The length of the line of the Elizabethtown and Paducah Railroad is 185 miles, running from Elizabethtown, on the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, 40 miles south of Louisville to Paducah, at the intersection of the Ohio and Tennessee Rivers, forming the outlet of the tobacco-growing counties of Grayson, Butler, Ohio, Davies, Marshall and McCracken, and passing through the rich and extensive bituminous COAL-FIELDS situated in Grayson, Hopkins, Caldwell and Muhlenburgh Counties. Along the entire route is found an unlimited supply of the finest LUMBER, and in many localities large deposits of IRON ORE exist.

The road is now nearly all under contract, and in course of construction, 100 miles having been graded and 25 miles put in running order. The capital stock amounts to $3,095,000, of which the City of Louisville subscribed $1,000,000 in 7 per cent. Bonds, all of which have been sold, yielding in cash upward of $900,000, and the balance in individual subscriptions and County Bonds. Of the latter, $800,000 have been disposed of at 85 per cent

To lay the rails and completely equip the road, there will be issued THREE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS of First Mortgage Bonds.

These Bonds will pass through the hands of the UNITED STATES TRUST COMPANY, of New-York, where the proceeds of sales will be deposited, to be paid over to the Company only as each mile of the road is completed. The most rigid care has been exercised to protect by every legal safeguard the interests of the Bondholders. With the capital already secured and the proceeds of the Bonds now offered, the road will be finished and equipped at an early day.

The management of this road is in the hands of the most responsible and favorably known merchants of Kentucky. With the guarantee of their able and faithful direction, and the large amount of stock subscribed, these Bonds form a very safe and desirable investment.

The price is 87 1-2 and accrued Interest.

Any further information will be furnished upon application to either of the undersigned.

NORTON, SLAUGHTER & CO., No. 41 Broad-st.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER SMITH & CO., No. 40 Wall-st.

HALLGARTEN & CO., No. 28 Broad-st.

NEW-YORK, June 6, 1870.

VERMILYE & CO.

BANKERS,

16 and 18 Nassau-st., New-York.

DEALERS IN ALL ISSUES OF GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

BUY AND SELL ON COMMISSION

RAILWAY STOCKS, BONDS AND GOLD.

MAKING LIBERAL ADVANCES.

INTEREST ON DEPOSITS.

FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS,

Guaranteed by the State of Georgia.

Bearing Seven Per Cent. Interest in Currency.

A LIMITED AMOUNT FOR SALE ON FAVORABLE TERMS.

HENRY CLEWS & CO.,

NO. 32 WALL-ST.

CHICAGO, CINCINNATI & LOUISVILLE R. R.

7 PER CENT.

FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS,

FOR SALE BY

J. A. UNDERWOOD & SON, No. 18 Exchange-place.

CALDWELL & CO., No. 37 Wall-st.

EIGHT PER CENT. BONDS

OF THE

CITY OF MONTGOMERY,

CAPITAL OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA, AT 90 PER CENT. AND ACCRUED INTEREST.

HOWES & MACY, Bankers,

NO. 30 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK,

Offer for sale the bonds of the City of Montgomery, Ala., 18 years to run, bearing interest at EIGHT (8) per cent. per annum, with coupons attached, payable 1st of January and July, both principal and interest payable in the City of New-York.

These bonds ($600,000) five hundred thousand dollars, are the only debt against the city, and are regarded as first-class security and very desirable for investors. Further particulars may be had of

BANKING HOUSE OF Geo. Opdyke & Co. 25 NASSAU ST. CORNER OF CEDAR ST.

FOUR PER CENT. interest allowed on current accounts, subject to check at sight.

PRIME INVESTMENTS for trust and other funds always on hand.

INVESTMENT ORDERS promptly executed for Government, Gold, Bonds and other Securities.

COLLECTIONS WANTED ON CHICAGO, KEOKUK, DES MOINES, IOWA CITY, ST. JOSEPH, and other points in the Western States.

LEVY & BORG,

NO. 20 BROAD-ST.,

are now prepared to buy and sell SOUTHERN SECURITIES, and make a specialty of the same.

OFFICE OF THE CLINTON FIRE INSURANCE CO., No. 156 Broadway, NEW-YORK, May 26, 1870.

AT THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR Directors of this Company the following gentlemen were unanimously re-elected for the ensuing year:

EPPINGHAM TOWNSEND, CHAS. R. SWORDS, D. HENRY HAIGHT, AMOS R. ECO, JOHN WATSON, SAMUEL WILLETS, DON ALONZO CUSHMAN, URIAH J. SMITH, SYLVESTER L. H. WARD, JOHN SCOTT BOYD, ISRAEL CORSE,

JACOB VAN WAGENEN, JOHN R. WILLIS, PRESTON H. HODGES, WALTER BARNES, HENRY COFFIN, JOHN D. GRIFFEN, CHAS. H. ISHAM, WM. PALEN, JAMES B. AMES, JR. EGBERT A. CLARK.

At a subsequent meeting of the Board, Mr. JAMES B. AMES, JR., was unanimously re-elected President.

JOHN BARRY, Secretary.

NEW-YORK, June 7, 1870.

CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND PACIFIC R. R. CO., SECRETARY'S OFFICE, No. 54 WILLIAM-ST., NEW-YORK, April 29, 1870.

TO HOLDERS OF CHICAGO AND ROCK ISLAND RAILROAD BONDS.—This Company are prepared to exchange their First Mortgage Sinking Fund Seven per cent. Bonds, due in 1865, for the bonds of the Chicago and Rock Island Company, maturing July, 1870. The mortgage on the entire road and equipment, extending from Chicago to Council Bluffs, including the Washington Branch, being altogether 553 miles in extent.

J. F. TRACY, President.

OFFICE OF THE MORRIS AND ESSEX R. R. CO., HOBOKEN, N. J., June 9, 1870.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR DIrectors of this Company will be held at this office on WEDNESDAY, 29th inst., at 12 o'clock M. The polls will be open between 12 o'clock M. and 1 o'clock P. M. The transfer-books will be closed from June 9 until July 1.

FRED. F. CHAMBERS, Secretary.

LOST.—CERTIFICATE NO. 2,991, FOR ONE hundred shares New-York Central and Hudson River Consolidated Stock, (blue tint,) in the name of Cammann & Co. All persons are cautioned against negotiating the above, as transfer has been stopped and new certificate applied for.

CAMMANN & CO., No. 8 Wall-st.

MONEY TO LOAN ON BOND AND mortgage in various sums on improved property in New-York, Brooklyn or Jersey City. Principals only need apply. A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., No. 77 Cedar-st.

CAUTION.—EVERY NOTE ISSUED BY J. Blath, in the name of the firm of Calm & Blath, has been issued without warrant, authority or any right, and will be so proved. E. C. CALM.

FINANCIAL.

FOR SALE.

CHOICE

CITY AND COUNTY BONDS

PAYING

10 PER CENT. AND OVER,

FREE OF ALL TAXES,

AUTHORIZED BY THE LEGISLATURE, AND CONFIRMED BY A LARGE VOTE OF THE PEOPLE AT

ELECTIONS HELD FOR THAT PURPOSE.

ALL OF A HIGH ORDER

AND FIRST-CLASS SECURITIES OF UNDOUBTED CHARACTER.

INTEREST AND PRINCIPAL PAYABLE IN THE CITY OF NEW-YORK. SUITABLE FOR PERMANENT, SAFE AND PROFITABLE INVESTMENTS. FOR SALE AT A LARGE REDUCTION BELOW PAR FOR THE PRESENT ONLY.

Real Valuation of Property..... $41,800,000

Whole Indebtedness only..... $650,000

GOVERNMENT AND OTHER SECURITIES RECEIVED IN EXCHANGE AT THE BEST RATES, AND BONDS PURCHASED BY OUT-OF-TOWN RESIDENTS SENT BY EXPRESS FREE OF CHARGE.

Trustees, executors of estates, capitalists and others seeking reliable investments are purchasing these loans.

ALBERT H. NICOLAY,

BANKER, STOCK-BROKER and AUCTIONEER,

NO. 43 PINE-ST., NEW-YORK.

N. B. First-class Investment Securities, paying large rates of interest, a specialty with this house for many years.

WE OFFER FOR SALE

$600,000

Evansville, Henderson, and Nashville Railroad of Kentucky 1st Mortgage Bonds,

due in 1897, bearing interest at 7 per cent. per annum, payable on the 1st days of January and July, at the Bank of America, New-York.

The line of this Road extends from Henderson, on the Ohio River, to the State line of Tennessee, passing through the coal fields of Western Kentucky, and forming important connections with Chicago, Nashville, the South and East. Sixty-three miles are completed at a cost of $2,000,000 raised almost entirely from stock subscriptions, leaving only thirty-three miles to be built, of which twenty-three miles are now graded and under contract. The first and only mortgage of all the property and franchises of the Company is for One Million of Dollars, payable as above. The proceeds of the sale will be applied by J. Edgar Thomson, Esq., of Philadelphia, the Trustee of the Company, to finish the work, for which purpose, with the other resources at command, they are amply sufficient. The net earnings of the Road are now quite large, and by the middle of June the coal fields will be reached, which will increase them materially. There is no reasonable doubt that the extensive local traffic of this Road, added to its important connections, will make it abundantly remunerative to the stockholders. $400,000 of this Loan have already been negotiated, and the remainder will be sold, for the present, at 82 and accrued interest, at which rate they constitute a safe and desirable investment.

Further particulars will be furnished on application to us.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER SMITH & CO.,

NO. 40 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF the SECOND NATIONAL BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK at close of business June 9, 1870:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$1,039,728 84
Overdrafts	249 46
United States bonds to secure

SHIPPING.

ONLY DIRECT LINE TO FRANCE.

THE GENERAL TRANSATLANTIC COMPANY'S MAIL STEAM-SHIPS BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND HAVRE, CALLING AT BREST.

The splendid vessels on this favorite route for the Continent will sail from Pier No. 50 North River as follows:

ST. LAURENT.....LEMARIE..SATURDAY, June 25
PEREIRE.....DUCHESNE..SATURDAY, July 9
LAFAYETTE.....ROUSSAU...SATURDAY, July 23
VILLE DE PARIS.SURMONT..SATURDAY, Aug. 6

Rates of passage, payable in gold, (including wine.)
TO BREST OR HAVRE, First cabin, $140; second cabin, $75.
TO PARIS, (including railway tickets,) $145 and $78.
These steamers do not carry steerage passengers.
American travelers going to or returning from the Continent of Europe, by taking the steamers of this line avoid both transit by English railways and the discomforts of crossing the Channel, besides saving time, trouble and expense.
GEO. MACKENZIE, Agent, No. 58 Broadway.

CUNARD LINE.

THE BRITISH AND NORTH AMERICAN ROYAL MAIL STEAM-SHIPS, BETWEEN NEW-YORK AND LIVERPOOL, CALLING AT CORK HARBOR.

Java, Wednesday, June 15 | Cuba, Wednesday, June 29
Tripoli, Wednes., June 15 | Tarifa, Wednes., June 29
Calabria, Thurs., June 16 | Russia, Wednes., July 6
Scotia, Wednes., June 22 | Samaria, Wednes., July 6
Malta, Wednes., June 22 | Nemesis, Thurs., July 7

RATES OF PASSAGE.

By the steamers not carrying steerage:
First Cabin, $120, gold. Second Cabin, $80, gold.
First Cabin to Paris.....$145, gold.
Return tickets.....$250, gold.

By the steamers carrying Steerage:
First Cabin, $80, gold. Steerage, $30, currency.
Return tickets.....$150, gold.
Steerage tickets from Liverpool and Queenstown and all parts of Europe at lowest rates.
Through Bills of Lading given for Belfast, Glasgow, Havre, Antwerp and other ports on the Continent, and for Mediterranean ports.
For freight and cabin passage apply at the Company's Office, No. 4 Bowling-green.
For steerage passage at No. 111 Broadway, Trinity Building. CHAS. G. FRANCKLYN, Agent.

PASSENGERS PER STEAM-SHIP CALABRIA embark from the Cunard Wharf, foot of Grand-st., Jersey City, at 8 A. M., on THURSDAY, 16th inst.

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4:00 P. M., Montreal express, drawing-room cars attached.
6:00 P. M., First Pacific express, with sleeping-cars through to Watertown, Syracuse and Canandaigua.
9:00 P. M., Second Pacific express, with sleeping-cars attached for Chicago via both L. S. and M. C. Railroads, for Louisville via Indianapolis, and for Buffalo and Rochester. This train will leave at 6 P. M. on Sundays.
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2:00 P. M., Hudson train.
7:00 A. M. and 5 P. M., Poughkeepsie trains.
9:45 A. M., 4:15 and 6:15 P. M., Peekskill trains.
5:30 and 7 P. M., Sing Sing trains.
6:30, 7:10, 8:50, 10 and 11:50 A. M., 1:30, 3, 4: 5, 5:10, 8:10 and 11:20 P. M., Yonkers trains.
(9:00 A. M., Sunday train for Poughkeepsie.)
WM. H. VANDERBILT, Vice-President.
NEW-YORK, May 23, 1870.

SOUTH SIDE RAILROAD OF LONG ISLAND.
SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.
Commencing MONDAY, May 30, 1870, from Roosevelt and Grand sts. Ferries.
8 A. M., Mail and Accommodation to Patchogue.
10 A. M., Babylon Accommodation, and all Stations.
11 A. M., Rockaway Excursion. This train will be put on June 20.
3:30 P. M., Express for Patchogue, connecting with stages for Bellepart, Fire Place, and South Haven.
4:30 P. M., Accommodation for Patchogue.
5:30 P. M., Accommodation for Islip, and all Stations.
6:30 P. M., Accommodation for Merrick, and all stations; on Saturdays, through to Babylon.
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C. W. DOUGLAS, Superintendent.

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3½ P. M.—Montreal express.
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For Port Jervis and Way, *11:30 A. M. and 4:30 P. M. (23d-st., *11:45 A. M. and 4:45 P. M.)
For Middletown and Way, at 3:30 P. M., (23d-st., 3:15 P. M.); and, Sundays only, 8:30 A. M., (23d-st., 8:15 P. M.)
For Greycourt and Way, at *8:30 A. M., (23d-st., *8:15 P. M.)
For Newburg and Way, at 8 A. M., 3:30 and 4:30 P. M., (23d-st., 7:45 A. M., 3:15 and 4:15 P. M.)
For Suffern and Way, 5 and 6 P. M. (23d-st., 4:45 and 5:45 P. M.) Theater train, *11:30 P. M., (23d-st.,* 11:45 P. M.)
For Paterson and Way, from Twenty-third-street Depot, at 5:45, 10:15 and 11:45 A. M.; *1:45, 3:45, 5:15 and 6:45 P. M. From Chambers-street Depot, at 6:45, 10:15 A. M.; 12 M.; *1:45, 4, 5:15 and 6:45 P. M.
For Hackensack and Hillsdale, from Twenty-third-street Depot, at 8:45 and 11:45 A. M.; †2:15, 3:45, 5:15, 5:45 and 10:45 P. M. From Chambers-street Depot, 9 A. M., 12 M.; †2:15, 4, 5:15, 6 and 10:45 P. M.
For Piermont, Nyack, Monsey and Way, from Twenty-third-street Depot, at 8:45 A. M.; †12:45, 13:45, 4:15, 4:45 and ‡6:15 P. M.; and Saturdays only, †12 midnight. From Chambers-street Depot, at 9 A. M.; †1, 13:30, 4:15, 5 and ‡6:30 P. M.; Saturdays only, †12 midnight.
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JUNE 13, 1870.
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WANTED—A COOK'S SITUATION BY AN English Protestant woman; very respectable; an excellent cook; meats, game, soups of all kinds, pastry, creams, jellies; excellent baker; has the best of testimonials; country or City. Call at 335 4th-av.

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SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

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WANTED—BY A COMPETENT NURSE, A situation; can take care of a baby from its birth, or would take care of growing children, or do light chamber-work; no objections to the country; the best of City reference. Can be seen at No. 259 6th-av., in the toy-store.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTestant woman a situation as nurse; is a good seamstress; has no objection to travel, or go a short distance in the country; can procure the best City reference. Call for three days at No. 344 East 18th-st.; ring fourth bell.

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THE FEAST OF STRAWBERRIES.

Entertainment at the Howard Mission—An Evening of Genuine Enjoyment.

The old woman, in the quaint nursery rhyme, "who lived in a shoe, and had so many children she didn't know what to do," must have had an extremely difficult time of it in supplying the wants of her extensive household; but what consternation she would have fallen into if she had had the care of a family composed of upward of 500 little ones, of both sexes, such as was assembled last evening under the hospitable roof of the Howard Mission and Home for Little Wanderers, at No. 40 New Bowery. The presence of so large a number of children on the occasion in question was caused by a strawberry and ice-cream festival given by the officers and managers of the institution. The entertainment was arranged as a pleasant surprise for the boys and girls receiving tuition and support at the Mission, together with such relatives as they might choose to bring with them, including fathers, mothers, brothers and sisters. During the afternoon crowds, of children of all ages and aspects, congregated about the rear entrance to the Mission for the purpose of procuring the magical ticket which gave them admittance to the festival. Many a ragged and forlorn specimen of *les enfants perdu*, less fortunate than his companions, stood looking on in a wistful manner while the tickets were being distributed, but it was found impossible to offer accommodations to any except the numerous attendants at the institution. Previous to the enjoyment of the edibles, the children listened to excellent addresses by Rev. H. M. GALLAHER, of Brooklyn, Mr. A. S. HATCH, the well-known banker, who is the President of the Board of Managers of the Mission, and Rev. Mr. KENDRICK, of Chicago. They subsequently marched to the dining-room, where long tables were laid, on which were spread small plates of cream, cakes and strawberries. Miss A. W. ANDERSON, the Matron of the Home, and Rev. P. J. H. MEYERS, the Acting Superintendent, took charge of the festival, and made it pass off in as agreeable a manner as possible for the youthful guests.

Festival at the Perry-street M. E. Church.

The members of the Perry-street M. E. Church gave a strawberry festival last evening, which was very well attended. The ladies were out in full dress. The Church edifice was most beautifully decorated with flowers and flags. The supply of strawberries and cream was beautiful, and they were partaken of with zest. The "Feast of Reason" consisted of a musical entertainment and addresses by Rev. CHARLES S. BROWN, Pastor of the Church, and Rev. E. E. SELMES, Superintendent of the Sunday-school. The principal artists were Mrs. MOZART, soprano; Mr. WM. MCDONALD, tenor; Mr. J. R. THOMAS, baritone; Mr. PERCY THOMAS, pianoist. The songs consisted of "Love and War," "The Beatings of My Own Heart," "The Fair Enchantress," "Bonny Dundee," "Stars of the Night," "Syren and Friar," "Croquet," "Ye Tormenters," "Through the World," and others.

Other Festivals.

At the Presbyterian Church of the Sea and Land, corner of Market and Henry streets, last evening, strawberries and cream reigned supreme, and the austerity usually ascribed to this sect seemed to be laid aside on this occasion. Every one appeared to be determined to do full justice to the delicious fare which was so bewitchingly served by the charming young ladies of the Committee. During the evening the choir rendered some appropriate pieces of music in fine style.

Manhattan Division of the Sons of Temperance fed about 200 voracious and perspiring individuals of both sexes with strawberries and cream at their hall, corner of Avenue C and Fourth-street, last evening. The gastronomic exercises were pleasantly varied by short addresses and singing.

The ladies of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Mount Vernon, held a strawberry festival, on Tuesday evening, to raise funds to defray the expense of furnishing their parsonage in a more suitable manner. It was quite successful.

The ladies of the Potts Memorial Church, Morrisania, are holding a strawberry festival for the benefit of the society. It will close this evening.

FESTIVALS THIS EVENING.

This evening a number of strawberry and musical festivals are promised, at each one of which the programme is of the most tempting order imaginable. The most notable of these is probably that of the Allen-street M. E. Sunday-school, between Delancey and Rivington streets. Among the attractions on this occasion will be addresses by popular speakers, and singing by well-known and talented ladies and gentlemen of this City and Brooklyn. Everybody should go to Allen-street to-night.

Exhibition of Prize Strawberries.

Messrs. B. K. BLISS & SON, seedsmen, opened their new warehouse at No. 23 Park-place, yesterday, with a prize exhibition of strawberries and plants, and the occasion drew together a large number of amateur and professional horticulturists to view the specimens forwarded by growers for competition. It was feared that the recent unsettled weather would prove prejudicial to a good exhibition, as the heavy rains had committed havoc among choice varieties. These fears proved groundless, however, for the assortment of berries received yesterday was an excellent one, and was pronounced by good judges one of the finest collections exhibited for several seasons.

Mr. BLISS had offered the sum of $300 in premiums, for the best collections and single specimens, and his liberal offer seemed to be appreciated by growers and nurserymen, who complain that they have too few opportunities to exhibit the result of their skill and studies, thereby preventing the general market from profiting from the advantages to be gained by the introduction of new and valuable varieties.

Among those present during the day we noticed Mr. LAWTON, of blackberry fame, Mr. MOORE, of the *Rural New-Yorker*, Dr. HEXAMER, of Newcastle, N. Y., Mr. THURBER, P. T. QUINN and A. S. FULLER, all three well-known authorities on small fruits, and Mr. ELIAS W. DURAND, of Irvington, N. J., whose strawberry farm is celebrated for containing over 1,100 different varieties of seedlings. JOHN CRANE, O. J. TILLSON and GEO. HERBERT also appeared as contributors, and they were soon surrounded by many others to the business who failed to exhibit, as their varieties were not sufficiently advanced.

Among the more noticable specimens on the tables were the "New Brilliant" and "Matilda," from DURAND; the "French," "Nicanor" and "Jucunda," from REISIG & ALEXANDER; SCHANCK'S "Prolific," "Boyden's No. 30," and a new "Seedling" from A. M. HALSTEAD, of Rye, N. Y. Several of these magnificent berries rivaled a hen's egg in size, and proved delicious in flavor. The smaller varieties were much praised by connoisseurs as being adapted to the regular market, and the entire show was a very interesting one indeed.

Messrs. GEORGE THURBER, A. S. FULLER and P. T. QUINN acted as judges, and awarded the following premiums: REISIG & ALEXANDER, for best collection of fifty varieties, first prize, $50; the same firm for best display of thirty-five varieties, in pots, second prize, $20; and the same for best twelve and six named varieties, first prize in each class; E. W. DURAND for the best new seedling, having never been exhibited before, first prize of $20, although the Committee awarded the prize on the fruit alone, the plant not being known to them; JOHN CRANE for the first prize for "Boyden's No. 30," and for the "Charles Downing;" GEORGE HERBERT won the prize for "Leming's White" and the "Triomphe de Gand." Several other prizes were awarded of a minor character. The programme of prizes was not exhaustive, however, as the date was too early, so the exhibition will be resumed next week, to afford growers of late varieties an opportunity to compete. The present exhibition continues to-day, and will well repay a visit. There are several other things on the tables, though not for competition. We understand that these fruit shows will be continued by BLISS & SON in their proper season, in order to afford growers an opportunity to exhibit, and they cannot fail to be of interest and benefit.

JERSEY JUSTICE.

Two New-York Sharpers Sent to State Prison for Ten Years.

The trial of THOMAS S. HADDEN, keeper of a sailors' boarding-house in Water-street, New-York, and his confederate, THOMAS T. PIKE, indicted for breaking and entering the house of MICHAEL MARTIN, of Hudson City, and carrying away therefrom household goods valued at $3,000, was brought to a close in the Hudson County, N. J., Courts yesterday, after lasting three days. The facts of the case are briefly related. In month, Mr. MARTIN left a man named DONNELLY in charge of his house, in Hudson City, during the temporary absence of himself and family. DONNELLY had occasion to visit New-York, but, getting drunk, he went to TOMMY HADDEN'S establishment, where, in his unguarded moments, he told them of the trust reposed in him. Deeming this a good opportunity for a haul, HADDEN and his confederate PIKE plied DONNELLY with bad whisky and kept him locked in a room for several days, till he became "insane" from his too-abundant potations, and allowed himself to be shipped by HADDEN on a fishing-boat bound for the Banks. HADDEN and PIKE in the meantime drew up what purported to be a bill of sale of MARTIN'S property, and threatened DONNELLY with death if he refused signing it. They next hired three furniture wagons and removed the goods from Jersey City to New-York. Part of the property was subsequently found on HADDEN'S premises and the remainder in an auction-store. The evidence against the accused was clear and convincing, and despite the efforts of counsel to quash the indictment for an alleged technical informality, the jury yesterday convicted the prisoners. Judge RANDOLPH, instead of waiting for the usual sentence day to mete out punishment to the notorious offenders, immediately, on the rendition of the verdict, ordered them to stand up. HADDEN pleaded innocence, and appealed to the clemency of the Court for the sake of his family. The Court, after listening gravely to their excuses, addressed a touching and sensibly little homily to the prisoners, and concluded by sentencing them to ten years each in the State Prison. "Tommy" HADDEN, it will be remembered, was one of the first converts of the Water-street Mission.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

NEW-YORK.

Inspector CHAPMAN, of the Customs Bureau at Castle Garden, seized a case of watch-movements, worth $600, yesterday, in the possession of an immigrant passenger. He discovered a false bottom in the trunk of another immigrant, and had it opened, when there were brought to light $18,000 in gold and silver, which the passenger had stowed away for safe keeping. He was allowed to depart in peace. Another false-bottom trunk was examined a few days ago, and found to contain nine dozen pairs of kid gloves.

More testimony was taken for the defense, yesterday, before Commissioner SHIELDS, in the case of WILLIAM HALL, a Greenwich-street druggist, charged by Capt. CHALKER, a Custom-house officer, with having bay oil in his possession, assuming the same to have been smuggled. BENJAMIN F. MEDGETT and JOSEPH B. ROSS, formerly a partner of the defendant's, were called as witnesses, after which the case was adjourned until the 18th inst., at which time a decision will be rendered.

The twenty-ninth anniversary of the Missionary Society of the Fifth-avenue Baptist Sunday-school was celebrated last evening. The church, which had been handsomely ornamented with flowers, &c., was well filled. The programme embraced organ music, singing, the annual report by Mr. B. F. JUDSON, and addresses by Revs. JOHN J. BROUNER and GEO. F. PENTECOST. The Superintendent's report showed the amount received to have been $1,220 86; amount disbursed, $1,201 61; balance in treasury, $19 25. The money collected is all expended for missionary purposes. For the coming year Mr. G. C. STOKES is President; J. W. ROOT, Vice-President; J. P. BOGGS, Secretary, and J. E. THOMPSON, Treasurer.

The hulk of the old ship *Falcon* was sold yesterday, at the Exchange Sales-rooms, No. 111 Broadway, under the direction of the Quarantine Commissioners, to whom she belonged. She was sold as she lay at the dock at Red Hook, the chains, cables, anchors, and all other available property having been previously removed. What was left was deemed of little use, and after having been started at $500, she was knocked down to Mr. BUHLER for $1,100. MULLER, WILKINS & Co. conducted the sale, and but little interest was manifested in the transaction.

The examination in the case of WILLIAM HEMPSTEAD, purser of the steamer *Missouri*, charged with having smuggled Havana cigars into this port, was continued before Commissioner OSBORN, yesterday. A witness for the defense testified that there were only eight boxes of cigars found in the room occupied by the accused, instead of ten, as claimed by the Government officers, after which he proceeded to give an apparently satisfactory reason for their being there.

A soldier's widow named CECELIA LANDERS, charged with having committed perjury in order to obtain pension money from the Government, waived an examination before Commissioner SHIELDS, yesterday, and was subsequently held to await the action of the Grand Jury.

The officers of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company are not alarmed for the safety of the *Henry Chauncey*. It is known that the steamer connecting with the *Chauncey* outward has arrived at San Francisco on schedule time, so that there is no doubt that the *Chauncey* arrived safely at Aspinwall. The *Chauncey* would not leave Aspinwall for New-York until the regular San Francisco steamer—in this case the *Constitution*—had arrived at Panama and delivered her passengers and freight to the *Chauncey*. There is no news yet of the arrival of the *Constitution* at Panama. The officers of the Company believe that both boats are safe, and that the detention is due to some derangement of the machinery of one or the other.

GEORGE MOORE, the boy who was run over on Tuesday, in Eleventh-avenue, by a truck after being pushed off a Forty-second-street car by the conductor, died yesterday, at Bellevue Hospital, he having sustained a fracture of the arm and leg. The remains were removed to the parent's residence, No. 531 West Forty-third-street, where Coroner FLYNN will hold an inquest. The boy was playing with others in jumping upon passing cars to bother the conductors.

C. F. SEITZ, the defaulting tobacco dealer of Water-street, whose liabilities and swindles amounted to $150,000, has been heard from. A letter from a detective officer, who was set upon his track by a number of his financial victims in Wall-street, was received Tuesday from Toronto, stating that SEITZ, under the assumed name of Miller, had been stopping in a hotel in that town for several days, but suddenly disappeared immediately after the arrival of the New-York officer. It is thought he has gone to Montreal, from whence he will probably take a British steamer for Europe.

At the annual election of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, held at the office of the Company, No. 26 Exchange-place, at noon yesterday, the following gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing year: Francis B. Cutting, A. S. Murray, Charles C. Bell, Charles P. Leverich, Percy A. Pyne, Roswell G. Rolston, Frederick G. Foster, James Seamers, Alexander Duncan.

A meeting of the grain forwarders of the country was held at the Astor House yesterday afternoon, but the business was transacted with closed doors.

The arrivals at Castle Garden, yesterday, were the *City of Denmark*, from Liverpool, 742; the *Cambria*, from Hamburg, 529; the *Darien*, from Glasgow, 356; the ship *Neptune*, from Liverpool, 134; the steamer *Pennsylvania*, from Liverpool, 1,205. Total, 2,946.

It appears to be not generally known that a recent order of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue prohibits the use of the ribbon canceling machine for revenue stamps. The new machine must be used or the canceling must be done with pen and ink.

In our Chicago telegram of yesterday the statement was made that Rev. A. E. KITTREDGE, of this City, had accepted a call to that city at a salary of $7,000. The reverend gentleman desires us to say that he has not accepted, but still holds the matter under consideration.

In response to an appeal for aid in the shape of medicines and clothing for the suffering women of Cuba, signed by a large number of eminent ladies of Washington, a call has been issued inviting the ladies of this City to attend a meeting to be held in the parlors of the Fifth-avenue Hotel to-day, at 3 o'clock P. M., to effect an organization for carrying out this humane work. The call is signed by Mrs. J. J. ROOSEVELT Miss ALICE CAREY, MISS PHOEBE CAREY, Mrs. A. S. STEPHENS and many others.

The Department of Public Parks announces that, if the weather be fine, there will be music by the Central Park band, in Madison-square, today from 6 to 8 o'clock P. M.

Last evening a party of five Germans employed in the brewery at Third-avenue and Ninety-second-street, went swimming in the East River at the foot of Ninety-third-street, when one of them named WM. SCHAEFFER was drowned. The body has not been recovered.

ELLEN RILEY, aged sixty, and a native of Ireland, who was burned on Tuesday at No 435 East Fifteenth-street, by the explosion of kerosene oil which she had thrown upon a fire, died yesterday at Bellevue Hospital. Coroner ROLLINS will hold the necessary inquest.

BROOKLYN.

The Grand Lodge of the Order of Good Samaritans will hold a quarterly session today at 10 o'clock A. M., at the hall No. 166 Fulton-street, at which an election of officers for the ensuing term will be held.

A number of the Brooklyn merchants and importers waited upon Dr. COCHRANE, the Health Officer, yesterday morning, for the purpose of ascertaining what answer he had received to his inquiries in regard to their right to take vessels to their wharves after they had received a clean bill of health from the Commissioners. The Doctor stated that he had received a letter from the Secretary of the Commissioners inclosing a copy of the Quarantine laws. No answers are made to the questions, however. The Doctor said that when a vessel came up with a clean bill of health the owner had a right to take her to any dock he desired, and he would be protected from any interference. The Board of Health has fully indorsed the action of Dr. COCHRANE in regard to Quarantine regulations.

At the Long Island Baptist Convention yesterday, the receipts by the Missionary Board for the year were returned at $6,000, against $3,000 the year preceding.

LONG ISLAND.

The bill repealing the Veligh Road Commission, located in Flushing Township, authorizes the Supervisors of the town to pay the amount of the land damages to the property-owners along the route, and at the same time allow them to retain possession of the land. It will be remembered that when the bill repealing this act was first introduced, it was opposed by the property-owners along the line. Shortly after a prominent politician of Flushing visited Albany the opposition was withdrawn. The cause is now apparent. This will cost the town about $8,000.

Mr. CHARLES H. GRIFFIN, whose death occurred at Whitestone, L. I., on Wednesday evening the 8th inst., from injuries received at Winfield on the 3d inst., was a well-known merchant of this City, who for many years was senior partner in the wholesale clothing house of Messrs. CHARLES H. GRIFFIN & Co., No. 260 Broadway, and at the time of his death was a member of the firm of Messrs. GRIFFIN & CARPENTER, Franklin-street. While in the act of getting aboard a train on the Long Island Railroad, an approaching train on the Flushing Railroad struck him. Hardly had his intense sufferings been assuaged with death, when another person was hurled into eternity in attempting to cross the track of the same road on Saturday evening last. Mr. GRIFFIN leaves a widow and two children.

The Spring meeting of the Queens County Agricultural Fair opens this morning at their Fair grounds, Mineola. At the fair is the largest and finest collection of flowers ever exhibited in this country. In connection with the fair there will be a strawberry festival, gotten up by the lady friends of the Society.

A few days since one of the Long Island locomotives, while running with a passenger train, broke one of the driving wheels. The train was under full speed, but fortunately was stopped before any person was injured.

Yesterday a market wagon belonging in Astoria ran over a drunken man at Hunter's Point, and, it is feared, injured him fatally.

A large party of the attaches of FRANK LESLIE'S publication office visited Whitestone, yesterday, and had a friendly contest at baseball.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

A man by the name of THOMPSON, who has been employed at the screw factory near Glenville for some time past, while under the influence of liquor, sat down on the edge of the railroad platform at the Port Chester station, on Tuesday afternoon, and was almost immediately afterward struck by a passing express train, and so severely injured about the head that no hopes are entertained of his recovery. He was conveyed to his home in New-Rochelle.

A new house of worship, erected for the Methodist Episcopal Church at Cold Spring, Putnam County, N. Y., will be dedicated this forenoon, the services commencing at 10½ o'clock. Bishop JANES; Rev. J. P. NEWMAN, D. D., Chaplain of the United States Senate; Rev. C. D. FOSS, of New-York, and Rev. J. B. WAKELEY, of Newburg, are expected to be present and take part in the exercises. It is rumored in Cold Spring that President GRANT is expected to attend the dedication ceremonies.

Right Rev. Bishop POTTER has appointed Monday evening next, 20th inst., for his visitation at St. Peter's Church, Peekskill. He will administer the rite of confirmation to a number of candidates.

The annual camp-meeting at the grounds near the village of Sing Sing will commence this year on Tuesday, Aug. 9, and continue for ten days, Sundays excepted.

The residence of Mr. ACKERMAN, at the corner of Main-street and Webster-avenue, New-Rochelle, was entered by burglars a few nights ago and robbed of clothing and other articles valued at $200.

The Board of Excise at Yorktown have decided to charge $50 for hotel licenses.

NEW-JERSEY.

Mr. JOHN ROSS, ticket agent at Nyack station, on the line of the Northern Railroad, was seriously injured on Tuesday by being struck in the side by an unfastened switch-handle. His injuries are internal, but hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Mr. E. V. TUTHILL, aged fifty-three years, was fatally injured at Denville Station yesterday, by being caught between two freight cars which he was engaged in coupling. His right thigh was fearfully crushed, and amputation having been performed, Mr. TUTHILL died in less than an hour. Mr. TUTHILL was an old and valued servant of the railroad company, and had been in charge of Denville Station for seven years.

Yesterday the remains of Mrs. ELEANOR BALL, which were interred in 1783 in the old burying ground in Newark, were taken up by her descendants and removed to the Presbyterian Church-yard at South Orange. She belonged to the family of TOMPKINS, and her grandfather was the first white child born in Newark. The bones were taken from the Newark burying-ground because of the state of neglect into which the place has been allowed to fall.

The Methodist Sunday-schools of Belleville had a celebration yesterday, at which addresses were made by Revs. D. T. MINGUSS and D. J. BUNILL, of New-York. The schools afterward took a steam-boat ride to North Belleville, in the steamer *Rockaway*.

Yesterday morning the body of an unknown man, dressed in dark clothes, was found floating in the river at the foot of Essex-street, Jersey City. The body was in an advanced state of decomposition, the face being entirely gone. A card was found in the coat-pocket, marked "F. J. or J. F. Morrow." Coroner BURNS, deeming an inquest unnecessary, ordered the remains to be interred.

ACHILLE PATTI, of Hoboken, convicted of manufacturing counterfeit tobacco stamps, was yesterday sentenced in the United States Court at Trenton to one year's imprisonment in the State Prison.

The Trenton Common Council has organized by the election of R. C. BELVILLE, Republican, President, and A. M. JOHNSON, Democrat, Clerk.

A foot-race for $250 a side, at Union Park, Newark, was stopped by the Police yesterday, upon complaint of several citizens that public grounds were not to be used for such purposes.

ARMY AND NAVY RECORD.

WASHINGTON, June 15.—Commodore O. S. GLISSON has been ordered to hold himself in readiness to command the European fleet. Commodore S. S. Almy is ordered to duty as Chief Signal Officer of the Navy on the 25th inst. Commander William K. Mayo is ordered to the command of the *Tuscarora*. Rear-Admiral J. A. Winslow is detached from command of the Navy-yard at Portsmouth, N. H., on the 1st of July next, and ordered to hold himself in readiness for the command of the Pacific fleet. Rear-Admiral S. P. Lee is detached from duty as Chief Signal Officer of the Navy, and directed to hold himself in readiness to command the North Atlantic fleet. Commodore A. M. Pennock is detached from duty as a member of the Examining Board at Washington, and ordered to command the Navy-yard at Portsmouth, N. H., on the 1st of July next.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, June 14.—The market for American Securities opened firm and closed easier; Stocks opened easier and closed quiet. The course of the market during the day is shown by the following table:

	11½ A. M.	5 P. M.
Consols for money	92½	....
Consols for account	92⅜	90
U. S. 5-20s of 1862	....	89½
U. S. 5-20s of 1865, old	....	89¼
U. S. 5-20s of 1867, ex dividend	88⅛	....
U. S. 10-40s	87	113⅛
Ill. Cen. Railroad Shares	....	113⅛
Erie Railroad Shares	17⅜	18⅛
Atlantic & Gt. W. R. R. Shares	28¼	28⅛

PARIS, June 15.—The Bourse opened declining. Rentes, 73f. 90c., and closed firm at 74f. 02c.

FRANKFORT, June 15.—United States Five-twenty Bonds opened firm but quiet at 96⅞@96¾ for the issue of 1862.

HAVRE, June 15.—COTTON opened declining, both on spot and afloat; Tres Ordinaire, on spot, 121¼f. ℔ cwt; Low Middling afloat, 122f. ℔ cwt.

ANTWERP, June 15.—PETROLEUM opened quiet.

LIVERPOOL, June 15, P. M.—COTTON—The market opened and closed dull; Middling Uplands, 10⅜d.@10¾d.; the sales of the day have been 10,000 bales, including 1,000 for export and speculation. BREADSTUFFS—Wheat, 10s. 5d. ℔ cental for California White, and 9s. 2d. for No. 2 Red Western. FLOUR, 23s. 6d. ℔ bbl. for Western Canal. CORN, 31s. 6d. ℔ quarter for European.

LONDON, June 15.—Refined PETROLEUM dull at 1s. 7d. ℔ gallon. LINSEED-CAKES easier at £11@£11 5s. ℔ ton. LINSEED-OIL easier at £31 5s. TALLOW firmer at 45s. 6d.@45s. 9d. ℔ cwt. Calcutta LINSEED 53s. 6d. Spirits of TURPENTINE 31s. 6d.

HONG KONG, May 12.—At Shanghai there had been no settlements in Black TEAS. The stock was 800,000 chests. The export of Green Teas to the United States was 19,300,000 lbs. There was no reliable news concerning the SILK crops. The sales of Canton were 700 bales. Prices had declined. Exports, 686 bales; stock, 300 bales. Although there is nothing definite in regard to the new crop, it will probably not equal last season's. EXCHANGE on London, 6¼d. ℔ tael. Canton advices of May 2 report a moderate trade. American goods were quite neglected. Cheefoo advices of the 4th represent trade dull. Prices for piece goods were nominal. The Bankow market was dull. The clipper-ship *Thermopylæ* had arrived at Roo-Chow in 38 days from Melbourne.

YOKOHAMA, May 22.—The Japan market is depressed. A further decline in SHIRTINGS and YARNS is noted. In TEAS there have been but few settlements for the season at hand, and there is further decline in rates for the old crop. The operations in SILK are limited, in consequence of scant arrivals. The weather was favorable to the market. EXCHANGE on London, 4s. 6¼d.; on Paris, 5f. 46c.

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

OSWEGO, June 15.—FLOUR active, but unchanged; the demand is chiefly for the interior, Eastern and Southern trade; sales, 2,700 bbls., at $6 25@$6 50 for No. 1 Spring; $7 00@$7 25 for Amber Winter; $7 75@$8 for White; $6 50@$6 75 for Double Extra; all but one mill are selling at the outside quotations. WHEAT in fair demand, and the market closes firm; sales, 14,000 bushels No. 1 Chicago Spring at $1 31; 5,000 bushels No. 1 Milwaukee Club at $1 21½; 1,600 bushels do. at $1 32; 1,000 bushels Red Indiana at $1 38; and car lots choice White Canada at $1 32½. CORN dull, but steady; sales, 3,200 bushels No. 2 at 86c. OATS scarce, and held at 65½c. for Canadian. RYE firm. PEAS scarce and quiet. CORN-MEAL—$2 15 for bolted, and $2 05 for unbolted. ℔ cwt. MILL-FEED unchanged. SHORTS, $16@$19; Ship-stuff, $22@$25; Middling, $22@$23, ℔ ton, as to quality. Canal FREIGHTS—Wheat, 7½c.; Corn and Rye, 7c., to New-York; Lumber, $5 50 to the Hudson and $4 50 to New-York. Railroad FREIGHTS—Flour to Boston, 62c.; to New-York, 46c.; to Albany, 45c.; Grain and Mill-feed to Boston, $6 30; to New-York, $4 80; to Albany, $4 60, ℔ ton. Lake IMPORTS—24,900 bushels Wheat, 16,200 bushels Corn, 1,677,000 feet of Lumber. Canal EXPORTS—1,400 bbls. Flour, 13,000 bushels Wheat, 8,800 bushels Corn, 1,200 bushels Oats, 3,361,000 feet of Lumber.

BUFFALO, June 11.—RECEIPTS—Flour, 900 bbls.; Wheat, 34,000 bushels; Corn, 7,000 bushels; Oats, 2,500 bushels; Barley, 10,000 bushels. SHIPMENTS—Flour, 2,100 bbls.; Wheat, 98,000 bushels; Corn, 52,000 bushels; Oats, 38,000 bushels. FREIGHTS steady. FLOUR quiet and without change. WHEAT active and excited; Spring advanced 5c., closing strong; sales, 40,000 bushels No. 2 Milwaukee Club at $1 23@$1 28, principally at outside price; 8,000 bushels Green Bay at $1 22@$1 23; 45,000 bushels No. 1 Milwaukee Club at $1 27@$1 28, nearly all at outside figures; 12,000 bushels No. 2 Chicago Spring, to arrive, at $1 20; and in the afternoon 60,000 bushels No. 2 Milwaukee Club, part to arrive, at $1 25; 5,000 bushels Amber Michigan at $1 27; 7,000 bushels No. 1 Milwaukee Club at $1 29; 7,500 bushels No. 2 Chicago at $1 20; 7,500 bushels by sample at $1 05. CORN quiet; No. 2 Western selling in car lots, at 92c.; 16,400 bushels rejected at 84c. OATS active; sales 38,000 bushels No. 2 Western to arrive at 58½c.; 15,000 bushels do. at 58¾c.; asking 59c. on spot. RYE and BARLEY inactive. HIGHWINES—Sales, 10 bbls. at $1 04; market dull. PORK firm at $30; do. for heavy Mess. LARD dull at 16¼c.

CHICAGO, June 15.—EXCHANGE unchanged. FLOUR firm at $4 87½@$5 for Spring Extras. WHEAT firm, excited and higher at $1 13¼, seller last half of June, for No. 2, and $1 17½, seller July; in the afternoon the market was unsettled at $1 14¾, seller last half of June, and $1 19, seller July. CORN quiet and in good demand at 83¾c. for No. 2; in the afternoon the market was firm and active at 85c., cash and seller June. OATS advancing; sales at 49¼c.@49¾c. for No. 2. RYE firm at 84¼c.@85c. for No. 2. BARLEY nominal at 54c.@56c. for No. 2. HIGHWINES firm and steady at $1 01 for iron-bound. PROVISIONS inactive and nominal. Live HOGS active and lower at $6 87½@$6 95 for common to choice. CATTLE quiet at $4 75@$9 for common Cows to extra prime smooth Steers. RECEIPTS—4,000 bbls. Flour, 75,000 bushels Wheat, 117,000 bushels Corn, 25,000 bushels Oats, 4,000 bushels Rye, 2,600 bushels Barley, 5,500 Hogs. SHIPMENTS—3,500 bbls. Flour, 62,000 bushels Wheat, 103,000 bushels Corn, 83,400 bushels Oats, 1,700 bushels Rye, 1,500 bushels Barley, 2,800 Hogs. FREIGHTS quiet and nominally unchanged.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., June 15.—TOBACCO firm and unchanged. COTTON nominal; Middling, 19¾c.@20c.; receipts, 46 bales; exports, coastwise, 51 bales; stock, 1,723 bales.

CINCINNATI, June 15.—FLOUR dull and unchanged. WHEAT dull at $1 20@$1 25 for No. 2 and No. 1 Winter Red. CORN unchanged. OATS in fair demand at 55c.@61c., the latter for Choice White. RYE firm at 96c.@$1. COTTON dull and entirely nominal. WHISKY irregular at $1 02@$1 03, nominally. TOBACCO firm and unchanged. PROVISIONS dull; there was no demand and no sales. Mess PORK held at $30 50. LARD, 16¼. Bulk MEATS, 12c.@15c. for Shoulders and Sides. BACON, 13¾c.@16¾c.@17¼c. for Shoulders, Clear Rib and Clear Sides. Sugar-cured HAMS in demand at 21c.@21¾c.; held at 22c. EXCHANGE dull at 1-10 ℘ cent. discount buying and par selling.

NEW-ORLEANS, La., June 15.—FLOUR unchanged. CORN lower; Mixed, $1 10; White, $1 15. OATS lower at 61c.@62c. BRAN, $1 10. HAY lower; Prime, $1 22@$1 24. PORK dull at $32@$30 25. BACON dull; Shoulders, 14¼c.; Clear Rib Sides, 17¼c.; Clear Sides, 18¼c.; Hams, 21¼c. LARD, 15¼c. for Tierce, 19¼c. for Keg. SUGAR, Prime, 11¾c.@11¾c. MOLASSES scarce at 65c.@75c. WHISKY, 97¼c.@$1 10. COFFEE inactive; Prime, 17¼c.@17¾c. EXCHANGE—Sterling, 12¼; New-York Sight, ¾ premium. GOLD, 113¾.

MILWAUKEE, June 15.—FLOUR firm; choice Wisconsin, $5 25@$6 25. WHEAT unsettled at $1 20 for No. 1 and $1 16 for No. 2. OATS, CORN and BARLEY unchanged. RYE advancing; sales at 80c. to arrive. FREIGHTS weak at 5½c. to Buffalo and 9¾c. to Oswego. RECEIPTS—2,000 bbls. Flour, 122,000 bushels Wheat. SHIPMENTS—5,000 bbls. Flour, 62,000 bushels Wheat.

MEMPHIS, June 15.—COTTON flat and nominal, with no sales; receipts, 323 bales; exports, 160 bales. FLOUR quiet; Fall superfine, $4 75@$5 25. CORN dull at $1@$1 10. OATS dull at 66c.@72c., and scarce. LARD nominal. Mess PORK firm at $30 50@$31. BACON—Shoulders, 13¼c.; Clear Rib Sides, 16¼c.; Clear Sides, 18c.

MOBILE, Ala., June 15.—COTTON dull; Middling, 20c.; sales, 400 bales; receipts, 64 bales; exports to Boston, 121 bales; to New-Orleans, 16 bales; stock 34,372 bales.

GALVESTON, Texas, June 15.—COTTON quiet and weak; Good Ordinary, 17¼c.; sales, 33,000 bales; receipts, 125 bales; exports, coastwise, 724 bales; stock, 19,232 bales.

NEW-ORLEANS, June 15.—COTTON dull and nominal; Middling, 20¼c.; sales, 2,750 bales; receipts, 527 bales; exports to Vera Cruz, 395 bales; stock, 90,782 bales.

NORFOLK, Va., June 15.—COTTON dull with a downward tendency; Low Middling, 19¾c.@20c.; receipts, 46 bales; exports, coastwise, 51 bales; stock, 1,723 bales.

CHARLESTON, S. C., June 15.—COTTON more steady; Middling, 20¼c.@20¾c.; sales, 400 bales; receipts, 171 bales; exports, coastwise, 732 bales; stock, 6,835 bales.

WILMINGTON, N. C., June 15.—Spirits TURPENTINE steady at 34¼c.@35c. ROSIN quiet at $1 55@$4 75. Crude TURPENTINE steady at $1 50@$3. TAR dull at $1 25. COTTON dull.

SAVANNAH, Ga., June 15.—COTTON quiet; Middling, 20¼c.; sales, 100 bales; receipts, 355 bales; exports, to Great Britain, 4,146 bales; stock, 20,308 bales.

AUGUSTA, Ga., June 15.—COTTON in moderate demand at lower rates; sales, 314 bales; receipts, 10 bales; Middling, 19c.@19¼c.

[Advertisement.]

The number of Masons in column on Wednesday last was variously estimated, the minimum being 7,500, the maximum 50,000, a slight disparity. As the column moved on how those matchless Hats of KNOX'S make showed off their points of excellence! It was easy to pick them out; in fact, the trouble would have been to pick out other hats, these being so few and far between. KNOX prevails at No. 212 Broadway.

Weather Report.

NEW-YORK, June 15—9 A. M.

Place.	Wind.	Weather.	The T
Port Hastings	N. W.	Cloudy	72
Portland	S. W.	Clear	72
Boston	S. W.	Clear	73
New-York	S. W.	Clear	78
Philadelphia	S. W.	Clear	76
Wilmington	S. W.	Clear	78
Washington	S. W.	Cloudy	76
Fortress Monroe	S. W.	Clear	76
Richmond	S. W.	Cloudy	78
Charleston	S.	Clear	81
Augusta	S. E.	Cloudy	73
Oswego	S.	Clear	77
Buffalo	S. W.	Raining	68
Pittsburg	S. E.	Raining	68
Chicago	N. E.	Overcast	66
Louisville	S. W.	Cloudy	73
New-Orleans	S. W.	Cloudy	81

Movements of Ocean Steamers.

FOR EUROPE.

Calabria.....June 16..New-York....Liverpool.
City of Washington.June 18..New-York....Liverpool.
England.....June 18..New-York....Liverpool.
Anglia.....June 18..New-York....Glasgow.

FOR HAVANA.

Missouri.....June 16..New-York....Havana.

Foreign Mails Close at Post-Office.

THURSDAY.

For Europe, via Southampton and Bremen, by the *America*, at 12 M. Supplementary mail for *paid* letters only on pier foot of Third-street, Hoboken, until 1½ P. M. For Havana, Nassau and West Indies, by the *Missouri*, at 2 P. M.

SATURDAY.

For Europe, via Southampton and Bremen, by the *Deutschland*, at 12 M. Supplementary mail for *paid* letters on pier foot of Third-street, Hoboken, until 1½ P. M. For Ireland only, by the *City of Washington*, at 7 A. M.

Closing of Domestic Mails.

North, Poughkeepsie Way.....5 A. M.; 2 P. M.
North, through H. R. R. R. and New-York Central.....5 A. M.; 4:30, 9 P. M.
North Way, via Harlem R. R., Chatham, Four Corners.....7 A. M.
East, via New-Haven.....5 A. M.; 1:33, 6 P. M.
East, via Newport.....4 P. M.
East, New-Haven Way.....5 A. M.; 2:30 P. M.
East, Fall River, rail.....6 P. M.
South, Through.....7 A. M.; 7:30 P. M.
Philadelphia Way.....5 A. M.; 4:30 P. M.
West Mail, through to Harrisburg, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Louisville, Indianapolis, Columbus, Chicago, St. Paul, St. Joseph, Salt Lake and Denver.....7 A. M.; 3:00 P. M.
West Mail, through to Cleveland, Toledo, and by A. & G. Western R. R. to Franklin and Meadville, Penn., &c.....5 A. M.; 4:30 P. M.

Passengers Sailed.

JUNE 15—*In steam-ship Java, for Liverpool.*—Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McVeagh, Miss Mary Shaw, Miss M. B. Ames, Rev. T. De Witt Talmage and wife, J. Wile, E. Hilton, R. B. Kimball, Miss Kimball, John P. O'Neill, Master O'Neill, Gen. Wm. McCandless, C. Wickersham, Miss Wickersham, two Misses King, E. Heneman, Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Farnani, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Wood, John C. Gale, Thomas Henderson, Mr. and M